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Damage By Fire Over \$100,000

No Definite
Statement by Fire
Chief Until After
Adjusters Inspect

Fire Chief John G. Lueck late Tuesday said the fire and water damage at the Ilgenfritz building, to the building and contents of the various offices and stores would be in the neighborhood of \$100,000. However, it is practically impossible to state any definite loss, until insurance adjusters complete their reports.

The building, which for a time was threatened with destruction, was saved through the untiring work of fire fighters. However, necessary as it was to pour tons of water into the locality of the fire, it caused what is expected to be a great amount of damage to contents of the store rooms on the first floor and to fixtures and equipment in the offices on the second and third floors.

Today it was learned that many occupants of the building, carried no insurance on their equipment and office furniture. A number of occupants who did not have insurance suffered rather heavy damages from water, which they must stand themselves.

Some Offices Closed

Offices in the south section of the building will be closed for several days while a number are expected to be ready for business possibly Thursday.

Several occupants of the south portion of the building are moving to other locations until repairs to the building can be completed.

All offices in the north wing of the building, which is north of the elevator shaft are open today, one or two are closed while cleaning is being done and should be ready Thursday or possibly Friday. The only damage suffered in this wing of the building was from heavy smoke.

Work was started early today by the Cramer-Schradler Contracting company in cleaning out debris, cutting away burned portions of the roof structure and starting to rebuild the burned out parts of the roof. The replacing of the roof is to be done as quickly as possible to protect the building from any further damage from weather.

Elevator Operator Discovered Fire

The fire was discovered by Duke Davis, 1014 South Ohio avenue, elevator operator, who spread the alarm throughout the building and called to several women to notify the fire department. He also located the room where the fire was and told the fire fighters on their arrival.

Mrs. E. H. Harris, wife of the janitor in the building, said that when she learned of the fire she saw that it was in room 310 used as a storage room. She reported she threw a bucket of water toward the flames, "but it evidently didn't do much good," she said.

Mrs. Harris and other women in the building then hurried from the place.

Salvation Army On Job

Chief Lueck, today expressed the appreciation and thanks of the firemen and volunteers who were chilly, wet and weary from their hard battle with the fire to the Salvation Army for their generous supply of hot ham sandwiches and hot coffee served them as they were finishing up their fight with the fire.

"It was very thoughtful of Adjutant A. R. Rush, of the local Chapter of the Salvation Army, to come to the men on the third floor of the building with his supply of sandwiches and the jar of hot coffee. Each one of us really want to thank him publicly for this," Chief Lueck said.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

John O'Brien, assistant chief of police, 408 East Sixth street, admitted for medical treatment.

W. A. Claycomb, Hughesville, admitted for medical treatment.

Mrs. James Ross and daughter, Country club; Wayne Neiberger, 1515 East Fifth street; Bobby Oehrke, Florence, and O. C. Forsyth, Knob Noster; Fritz Vogt, Sweet Springs; Johnny Friend, 500 East Saline; Mrs. Leonard Siegel, Florence, and Mrs. J. A. Allen, 916 East Third street, dismissed.

Admitted: Mrs. Excel T. Beeler, 1018 South Grand avenue, surgery; Mrs. Russell Culbertson, Smithton, medical treatment; Chris Klein, Buncheon, medical treatment.

Dismissed: Mrs. Robert E. Burford and infant daughter, 722 East Thirteenth street; Mrs. Nancy Deuschle, 309 East Seventh street.

Fire Scene in Sedalia Tuesday Afternoon



Smoke pouring from the south part of the roof of the Ilgenfritz building, Third street and Ohio avenue, shortly afternoon Tuesday. Interested spectators crowd in the street. The picture was taken from a building near the alley between Third and Fourth streets, looking north. Other pictures on page 4.

(Photo by Lehmer)

Remnants of German Fleet Being Divided

Splitting it
Among Big
Three Powers

LONDON, Jan. 23.—(P)—Remnants of the German fleet, once a powerful factor in world affairs, have been divided among the victorious Big Three—Britain, Russia and the United States.

"Operable surface units" of the Nazi navy, amounting to 1,750 vessels, together with 30 submarines, are being split up on a share and share alike basis, a tri-power communiqué said last night.

The action leaves Germany without the vestige of a combat fleet. A British source said the German merchant fleet also would be divided up later, although fishing vessels will not be taken.

Involved in the split-up were two cruisers, 30 destroyers and torpedo boats, 48 torpedo ships and 1,679 other units, including mine sweepers and harbor patrol boats. All of Germany's battle-ships were sunk during the war and the British disclosed last night that 100 surrendered German U-boats were scuttled last November.

How Divided

Each nation, in addition to 10 submarines will receive:

United States—the 10,000-ton cruiser Prinz Eugen, seven destroyers and torpedo boats, 12 depot ships and 560 other units.

(In Washington, state department officials said they could give no indication when the identity of the ships allotted would be announced. The Prinz Eugen, en route to Boston for what the navy department described as experimentation, last night was reported speeding to the assistance of the crippled troop ship Frederick C. Hicks, 1,000 miles east of New York.)

Russia—the 6,000-ton cruiser Nuernberg, 10 destroyers and torpedo boats, 15 depot ships, and 507 other units.

Britain—thirteen destroyers and torpedo boats, 21 depot ships and 612 other units.

Plan Unit Transfer

Negotiations are under way on the United Kingdom's offer to transfer to the French some of the units allotted to Britain, the British announced.

The decision to split up the German navy was reached at the Potsdam conference, the communiqué said, and a tripartite naval commission appointed to implement the decision recently submitted its report.

Chilly Speeches

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 23.—(P)—The guests at a dinner given by Mayor John J. McDonough were politicians, all ready to orate on the current municipal election campaign.

But the speeches were short. Mayor McDonough limited each speaker to the length of time he would—or could—hold a 25-pound cake of ice in his bare hands.

The Weather

Central Missouri: Brief rain or snow late this afternoon. Cloudy and cold tonight with wind shifting to northwest. Low temperature near 25 degrees. Thursday partly cloudy and cold.

Temperature: 7 a. m., 32 degrees; 3 p. m., 36 degrees.

Lake of the Ozarks: 8; fall 2.

Sunrise 7:27 a. m. Sunset 5:24 p. m.

Bobby Soxers May be Caught Flat-Footed

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 23.—(P)—Today's bobby soxers may be caught flatfooted as tomorrow's wives.

Dr. Earl C. Elkins of the Mayo clinic of Rochester, Minn., gives the teen-age "sophisticates" that to think about.

The bobby sox era in high school he said in an interview, is a natural for flat feet, explaining: "Moccasins, sandals and the like are as bad for girls as the too-high heels our mothers used to wear."

He predicted if the Bobby soxers continued to wear them for long their arches would pancake and soon they'll have "sled runners for feet."

Soldiers AWOL Go on Spree

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 23.—(P)—Gerald B. Norris, agent in charge of the St. Louis office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, said today two soldiers who he said have confessed a two-month spree financed by forged checks since going AWOL Nov. 2 from Camp Bowie, Texas, are being held here without charge pending action by military authorities.

Norris said federal charges of violating the National Motor Vehicle Theft Act will be presented to the United States Attorney unless the army returns the pair to Camp Bowie for court-martial.

He identified the soldiers as Edward J. Ensign, 22, and Claude A. Towell, 23, and said they told the FBI this story:

Escaped From Guardhouse

They escaped from the guardhouse at Camp Bowie where they were serving terms for being AWOL and drove to Little Rock in a stolen car. They abandoned the auto in Arkansas when it broke down and hitchhiked to St. Louis where they stole another car and drove to Dayton, Ohio.

At Dayton they purchased army lieutenant uniforms, picked up a couple of officer identification cards and began a four-state tour of hotels and officers clubs financed by forging checks amounting to \$3,000.

Norris said the soldiers were arrested Monday in a hotel room here by city police. He said the men drew pistols as police entered their room, but were quickly disarmed. No shots were fired.

Senatorial Districts Bill Back to House

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 23.—(P)—A bill designed to force realignment of senatorial districts in the City of St. Louis, Jackson and St. Louis counties before March 1 was passed by the senate today and sent back to the house for acceptance of senate amendments.

If election authorities in the three areas failed to act, senators from there would have to run at large in the next election.

Vote For Recognition Of Bargaining Agent

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—(P)—The National Labor Relations Board directed today that an election be held at the Selwyn Shoe Manufacturing company's plant at Boonville, Mo., to determine collective bargaining representatives of workers employed there.

The petition was filed by the Boot and Shoe Workers Union, AFL.

Approve Bill Establishing Salary Range

Attempt to Keep
County Officials'
Pay Unchanged

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 23.—(P)—Legislation establishing salary ranges for most of the county officials of Missouri's 109 third and fourth class counties was approved last night by a house committee on local government.

Part of a large series of bills on the "must" list of the 63rd general assembly, the bills would implement provisions of the new constitution which call for payment of officials on a salary basis rather than by fees collected in offices as provided under the old charter.

Rep. Douglas Mahoney (R) of Taney county, chairman of the committee, said he would leave it to the house to put amendments on the bills — and he predicted there would probably be "quite a few" — rather than hold up the progress of the bills in his committee.

"The aim of the committee was to establish about the same rate of pay for county officials in these bills, as those officials now receive. We don't want to lower or raise anyone's salary," he said.

Provisions of the bills, subject to house and senate action, are:

Third Class Counties:

(Editor's Note: Pettis is a county of the third class.)

County Treasurers — \$1,200 a year in counties of 10,000 population up to \$3,500 in counties with a population of more than 40,000.

Prosecuting Attorneys — \$1,000 a year in counties of 7,500 population up to \$3,500 in counties with a population of more than 30,000 — with a provision that attorneys will receive 25 per cent in addition to their base pay for juvenile court services.

County judges — \$5 a day plus an additional \$5 for service as members of the county board of equalization and five cents a mile for traveling expenses.

Circuit clerks and recorders (combined job) — \$1,200 a year in counties of 10,000 or less population up to \$2,500 in counties with 25,000 population. Fees from change of venue and service in juvenile courts would be allocated to the clerk-recorder. All other fees would be paid into the county treasury.

Superintendents of Schools — \$1,000 a year up to \$2,100 depending on population in addition to fees as supervisors of school transportation.

Fire Damage to Battery Co.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 23.—(P)—A fire fanned by a strong southerly wind and fought by 12 hose companies resulted in damage to a downtown battery company early today.

The fire referred to above was at the American Battery company, 1926-1930 Grand, Kansas City, of which James O. Mitchell, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Mitchell, of Sedalia, is one of two owners.

In a call to his parents Mitchell stated two of their four buildings were destroyed by fire, and the estimated loss given as between \$40,000 and \$50,000, which is covered by insurance.

Fail Again to Agree on UNO Secretary

Five Powers Drift
Toward Deadlock
On the Question

By John M. Hightower

LONDON, Jan. 23.—(P)—The top men of the five principal powers in the United Nations met secretly in the office of Secretary of State James F. Byrnes today and were reported to have failed again to agree on a candidate for secretary general of the new security organization.

The negative result of the 90-minute meeting led some officials to express fear that the five powers were drifting toward a deadlock on the question, made more acute by charges of political interference made by Iran against Russia and by Russia against the British in Greece and Indonesia.

American officials had hoped to make swift progress on the situation today, both at the five-power meeting and a later informal session of representatives of all 11 security council members, so the new peace organization could begin building its permanent staff.

The five powers have to agree in order for the full council to nominate a man whom the 51-member general assembly may accept or reject.

U. S. Backs Canadian

The United States is reported backing Lester Pearson, Canadian ambassador to Washington, for the \$20,000 a year post. Russia has been advocating the candidacy of Trygve Lie, foreign minister of Norway.

The meeting, at a Mayfair hotel, was the first such session that has been attended by Andrei Vishinsky, Soviet vice-commissioner of foreign affairs and chief Russian delegate, since the beginning of the UNO conference. Vishinsky arrived in London yesterday.

Others at the meeting in addition to Byrnes were British foreign secretary Ernest Bevin, Paul Boncour of France and V. K. Wellington Koo of China.

Shortly before this secret gathering of diplomats, British officials were reported authoritatively to have discussed with French delegates an approach by the British government to the security council's handling of the Russian complaints against British policy in Greece and Indonesia.

The United Nations organization postponed until tomorrow its scheduled action to set up machinery to guard against an atomic war.

Prepares for Cancer Drive

Miss Bertha B. Rose, city commander for the American Cancer Society, left today for St. Louis to attend the state training school for that organization to be held at the Coronado hotel on January 24-25.

Miss Rose is representing Pettis county in place of Mrs. George Fichter, of LaMonte, the county commander, who was unable to attend.

The program will be a scientific one. Discussions of organization and campaign management as well as service and educational phases will be brought out.

Last year, for the first time, the American Cancer Society under the guidance of Eric Johnson, set out to raise the first really large sum for cancer control. The goal was five million dollars and over four million dollars was raised. The amount raised in Pettis county was \$1,654.00 and the leaders were proud of this record.

The money raised has made possible a greater program of research and service in addition to an enlarged program of education. The future of this organization and its value to humanity is extensive and hopeful.

Organizing VFW Tonight

Formation of a new Veterans of Foreign Wars post in Sedalia will be completed tonight with the installation of their charter and the election of permanent officers. Department Commander of Missouri A. W. Halverhout of Kansas City and National Service Officer and Organizer R. J. Saxton of department headquarters, Kansas City, Mo., will be here to officiate over the installation.

Commander Halverhout will present the charter and institute the post and will also be in charge of the installation of officers.

Captain William Miller, World War II veteran, who is temporary chairman will preside over the opening of the meeting.

The call to order will be at 7:30 o'clock at the state guard armory instead of 8 o'clock as previously announced.

Would Test Driver's Ability

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 23.—(P)—A bill to set up stiffer qualifications for state driver's licenses, including a test of driving ability, was introduced in the senate today by Sen. H. R. Williams (R) of Cassville, senate floor leader.

He said he wanted to get "a real honest to goodness driver's license law with an examination that's worth something and not just a farce."

Currently, he charged, the Missouri driver's requirements "be long back in the horse and buggy days."

"This is an attempt to stop people who are deaf, dumb and

blind from operating motor vehicles on the public highways. I want to make it more than impossible for habitual drunkards to get new licenses with no more than a slap of the wrist."

The bill would raise drivers' license fees from 25 cents to \$1 and require the highway patrol to test the driving of every applicant's eyesight, ability to understand highway signs and knowledge of the traffic laws would be examined. Licenses would be denied to habitual drunkards, drug addicts, insane persons or others whose driving "would be inimical to the public safety and welfare."

Strike Briefs

By the Associated Press
Continuing labor disputes
keep idle 1,622,000.

Major Developments:

Steel — Strike of 750,000 CIO steelworkers, nation's largest single work stoppage, in third day, with no immediate government plans for seizure of industry; effect of paralyzing walkout being felt in many associated industries; CIO president Philip Murray asks revision of federal corporation tax laws; U. S. steel president B. F. Fairless schedules radio address to present industry's side of wage dispute.

Railroads — President Truman, intervening to head off threatened strike on two Chicago area shuttle railroads, names emergency board to investigate dispute; action, under law, postponed strike for 60 days. Spokesmen say strike would block livestock shipments to Chicago stockyards and disrupt east and west through freight traffic. A. F. Whitney, president of Brotherhood of the Railroad Trainmen, announces 215,000 members will take strike vote immediately on question of 25 per cent pay boost and improved working conditions; says Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers has called a committee meeting for Feb. 1 when similar strike vote may be authorized.

Automotive — CIO United Auto Workers plan wage negotiations with Chrysler corporation and Ford company as union reverts to its 30 per cent wage increase demand on General Motors; Detroit area tool and die makers told by union to halt all work on the General Motors materials Monday, affecting 3,500 and 4,000 workers.

Electrical — Two government mediators named in 8-day strike of 200,000 CIO electrical workers against General Electric, Westinghouse and General Motors, mediation to be resumed tomorrow between principals in wage dispute, causing the country's third largest work stoppage.

Changes in Katy Board

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 23.—(P)—Three new directors were named to the board of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad company (Katy) at a meeting here yesterday, filling vacancies caused by resignations.

They are: William J. Morris, chairman of the board of the Continental Supply Co., Dallas; William N. Thornton, vice-president and General manager of the Longhorn Portland Cement Co., San Antonio; and Richard C. Muckerman, vice-president of the City Ice and Fuel Co., of St. Louis and president of the St. Louis Browns baseball club.

Directors who resigned are: Lewis E. Pierson, New York banker and former interim chairman of the Katy board; Frank K. Houston, chairman of the board of the Chemical Bank and Trust Co., New York; and Francis F. Randolph, chairman of the board and president of the Tri-Continental Corporation of New York.

Parson's Dilemma

SEATTLE, Jan. 23.—(P)—The weekly gift of a Seattle civic club for its guest from the most distant city was a bottle of distilled spirits.

At first, the leading — but unwilling — contestant for the prize was a man who reluctantly introduced himself as Joel Harper, clergyman from Spokane, Wash.

To the intense relief of the minister, it developed that the club was also being visited by a man from Jefferson City, Mo.

Small Fire

The fire companies at 2:35 o'clock this afternoon were called to the residence of Mrs. Clay Williams, 414 Dal - Whi - Mo - Court where some dust in a cold air register had caught fire. No damage resulted.

Avert Fight Over Social Security Hike

Bill Introduced
By Representative
Harvey D. Dow

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 23.—(P)—A pitched partisan battle was averted in the Missouri House of Representatives Tuesday by Rep. James P. Boyd (D) of Monroe county when he declared he would stand by the recommendations of a Republican appropriations committee chairman.

The controversy came boiling out of a move to get advancement of supplementary appropriation bills giving \$2,450,000 additional funds to the social security commission for old age benefits and aid to dependent children for the fiscal year ending July 1.

The committee chairman, Rep. R. J. King (R) of Franklin county, asked adoption of a committee amendment cutting the additional fund for aid to dependent children from an original \$500,000 to \$400,000.

He said social security administrator Proctor Carter, a Democrat appointed to the post in November, had asked for the half million fund because the commission believed \$430,000 more would be needed and it should have the difference as a backlog if ADC should increase beyond expectations.

The committee considered setting the figure at \$430,000 but later trimmed it to \$400,000, King said. Speaker Pro Tem Murray Thompson of Webster county questioned whether recent growth of ADC and old age benefit rolls could be ascribed to the cessation of the war as Carter had suggested.

Defense Offered

Democratic members thereupon rose to defend Carter and Gov. Phil M. Donnelly, who appointed him.

At one point, Rep. C. P. Turley (D) of Carter county said he wanted information only and "not a sermon." He asked King to "disarm yourself and lay your guns on the table where they belong."

When it looked as though Turley and King were dividing the House on a party basis, Boyd asked that peace be declared.

At the close of the session, Rep. Harvey D. Dow (R) of Pettis county introduced a bill for the regulation of the sale of all electrical equipment, including mechanical toys, by city ordinance.

The bill would apply to St. Joseph, Springfield, Sedalia, and other cities of the second and third class.

Dow offered no explanation for the measure which would also prohibit retailers from giving away as prizes "substandard electrical" equipment.

Winter of 1946 Is a Critical One

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 23.—(P)—Labor, management, and government actions of today will determine the course of history for years, Gov. Phil M. Donnelly declared last night.

The Governor, speaking at the 26th anniversary dinner of the South Central Business Association, asserted the "winter of 1946 is a critical one."

"What we do today may set into motion forces which will determine the course of history for years. The nature of our economic and social structure itself may depend upon what we do in these months."

New Appointee

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 23.—(P)—Sergeant P. Mooney, navy veteran and former St. Joseph newspaper man, is the new state resources and development department publicity director at \$4,500 a year. His appointment was announced yesterday by Hugh Denney, department director.

Baby born to Young Girl

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Jan. 23.—(P)—A child 12½ years old gave birth to a 6-pound girl at a hospital here Friday, Dr. J. W. Hannett reported today, and both are doing well.

The child-mother's name was withheld.

Take Meat Plants Saturday

Government Will
Seize and Operate
Strikebound
Packing Plants

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—(P)—

The striking AFL Union of Meat Workers today ordered its men back to work in struck plants Saturday, the day set for government seizure of strikebound properties.

Earl Jimerson, president, and Patrick E. Gorman, secretary-treasurer of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butchers Workmen of America, issued a statement saying as "loyal Americans" they had ordered their members in struck plants of Armour, Swift, Cudahy, Wilson, King-an and Morrell companies back to work effective Saturday.

The AFL union claims 70,000 workers on strike. The striking CIO United Packing House Workers, with 193,000 members made no comment immediately.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—(P)—The White House announced today the Department of Agriculture will seize and operate strike-bound meat packing plants on Saturday.

Press Secretary Chas. G. Ross said the Agriculture Department will have the aid of the War Department "if necessary" and that the Agriculture Department will conduct the operations.

Ross declined to answer questions concerning his terse announcement, made to a hurriedly called news conference.

Ross made the following oral statement:

"The government will seize the closed meat packing plants on Saturday, January 26.

"The necessary orders for the seizure are now being prepared by the secretary of labor.

"The seizure will be made by the department of agriculture, with the aid of the war department if necessary. The plants will be operated by the department of agriculture."

A few minutes earlier a government official, who declined to be quoted directly, had indicated the seizure would be made Saturday, to allow further time to persuade striking CIO workers to return to their jobs under government operation. Labor department officials have said that striking AFL workers agreed to return if the government took over.

No Immediate Plans

The administration still has no immediate plans for further action on the steel strike, Ross said.

Asked whether there were any plans for Henry Kaiser to be brought into the picture to help settle the steel dispute, Ross replied:

"I know of no such plans." Last-week Kaiser signed a contract with the CIO United Steel Workers Union for his California steel plant.

Chester Bowles, OPA administrator, was scheduled to talk with President Truman shortly after noon and Labor Secretary Schweilenbach had an appointment later.

Seizure of the meat packing plants would be the first such action in a major labor dispute since the current wage of big strikes started.

It remained uncertain, however, whether federal seizure of

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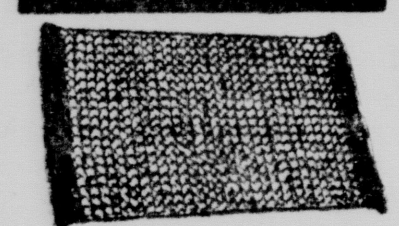
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Bruns Beats Wright Two Straight Falls

Hader Disqualified And Estep Given Match By Parker

Bobby Bruns, Chicago, former heavyweight champion, proved too much for "Rube" Wright of Los Angeles, Calif., and his tough tactics, by winning two straight falls Tuesday night at the Pettis County Post No. 16, American Legion wrestling matches. The former champion displayed some new holds and real wrestling ability in meeting the "roughneck" of the ring.

Marshall Estep, Sturgeon, Mo., was the winner of the semi-wind-up by taking two falls from "Gas House" Jack Hader, Kansas City. Estep won the first by using his famous drop kick and then applying the full nelson leg hold on Hader to pin his shoulders in 18 minutes and 20 seconds.

Jimmy Parker, referee, let it be known that while he was the third man in the ring he wouldn't stand for anything like rubbing a cigarette in the eyes of an opponent. He declared Hader forfeited the second fall in four minutes and 35 seconds when he was caught in this little act. Parker knows how to do it as a wrestler and knows how it is when on the receiving end.

The opening match went to Lou Newman of Seattle, Washington, who after thirteen minutes of rough and gouging it around the ring with Wally Grabb of Chattanooga, Tenn., came through to use his famous airplane spin and body smother to win in 13 minutes and 53 seconds.

Bruns took the first fall of the main event by "borrowing" Estep's drop kick and body smother hold. It took 21 minutes and 15 seconds to get the job over. His flying head scissors which he applied three different times the third time in such a manner he won from Grabb in 10 minutes and 50 seconds.

Next Tuesday Promoter Simon Kalis is bringing to Sedalia Bobby Bruns to meet Marshall Estep in the main event; the semi-windup will be between "Rube" Wright and Lou Newman; while the preliminary will be with Vic Holbrook, Hollywood, California, a local ring favorite and Jack Hader. Parker has agreed to come back and take over the refereeing of the three matches.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.
NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Get ready to brush off all the old gags about the rookie from Peoria. . . Sports Editor Ken Jones, reporting on the swell summer prep baseball program operated there by Howard (Lefty) Tyler—with the support of high schools and business firms—adds that two of the kids developed in the loop have been signed by major league clubs. . . Dick Weik drew a bonus reported at \$20,000 from Washington and Rod (Lefty) Timm signed with the Browns. . . End Clyde Grimenstein was Army's only major scholastic casualty after the football season, but from the way folks talked at West Point last fall it was a serious loss. . . Notre Dame's Elmer Ripley is high on a 17-year-old basketball forward, Ray Corley, from Staten Island but the kid lacks experience to displace the Irish regulars.

Today's Guest Star
Tommy Fitzgerald, Louisville Courier-Journal: "In a protest demonstration against football Coach Bryant leaving the institution, Maryland students formed picket lines around the classrooms. Football players among the demonstrators, it is hoped, had no difficulty finding the classrooms."

Hans Kitan, who piloted the German bobsleds in the 1932 and 1936 winter Olympic games, and Ernst and Maxi Baer, Olympic figure skating pair champions, have been placed on the blacklist of the American military government at Garmisch-Partenkirchen and banned from competing there.

Home Ruel
Murry Ruel, special assistant to baseball commissioner Happy Chandler, has taken up his domicile in Fort Thomas, Ky., just across the river from Cincinnati. That also is the current (no gag) home of Bill Bramham, assistant treasurer of the Reds and son of minor league boss W. G. Bramham.

Dots All, Brothers
Possibly the first standard bred foal of 1946 is a chestnut colt by Dominion Grattan-Lucy Gano born Jan. 12 at E. G. Hays' Duquoin, Ill., stables. . . After the Sugar Bowl football game, someone asked the Giants' spherical Steve Owen whether he'd rather have Bob Fenimore or Herman Wedemeyer "I'll take them both," said Steve, "I could run the opposition ragged with those two."

Tuesday Basketball Results

By The Associated Press
EAST
Sampson Navy 49, Scranton 39.
Long Island University 82, American Airlines 41.
SOUTH
Washington College 50, University of Alabama 45.
MIDWEST
Crile Hospital 61, Hiram 41.
Illinois Tech 62, Chicago Naval Armory 39.
Notre Dame 69, Marquette 67.
Ohio University 50, Marietta 29.
Iowa Navy Preflight 66, Harlem Globe Trotters 27.
Ft. Sheridan 51, Chicago Teachers 40.
Central (Kas.) 44, Northern Oklahoma Junior College 34.
Fort Riley 45, Kearney, Neb. AAF 38.
Southern Illinois Normal 61, Southeastern (Okla.) 57.
Warrensburg (Mo.) Teachers 56, Washington U. (Kas.) 50 (overtime).
SOUTHWEST
Hardin Junior College 51, North Texas Aggies 31.
Baylor 59, Dallas Naval Air Station 52.
FAR WEST
California 37, St. Mary's 14.
University of Portland 49, College of Idaho 30.

Fights Tuesday Night

By The Associated Press
NEW YORK—Nava Esparza, 144½, Mexico City, outpointed Cleo Shans, 137½, Brawley, Calif., (10).
SALEM, Mass.—Steve Kronis, 130, Boston, stopped Santiago Riviera, 134, Mexico City, (6).
LOS ANGELES—Jimmy Bivins, 187, Cleveland, knocked out Johnny Haynes, 261, Los Angeles, (2).

U. S. Hockey League

By The Associated Press
Tonight's Schedule
Fort Worth at Minneapolis.
Tuesday Night's Scores
Tulsa 6, Kansas City 2.
Omaha 6, Dallas 4.
St. Paul 4, Fort Worth 2.

Hughesville Beat Smithton

Tuesday night on the Smithton court the Hughesville high school basketball team smothered the Smithton attack to win easily 36 to 20. Displaying excellent team work, the Hughesville quintet was never threatened although Smithton started several potential scoring sprees which never materialized. Smithton, although having the advantage in height, seemed to have trouble hitting the scoring column. Using a fast breaking offense the visitors got off to a 7 to 2 lead at the end of the first quarter, holding the host team to two free throws. Good team work was displayed by both teams with the visitors having the edge in accuracy in passing as well as in shooting.

The score by quarters:
Smithton 2 8 15 20
Hughesville 7 20 29 36

Referee Smith.
McCarthy of Hughesville was high point man for the game, having netted a total of 15 points. His floor work also contributed greatly to the outcome of the game.

CMSC Wins 56-50 From Washburn

WARRENSBURG, Jan. 23.—The CMSC Mules defeated a strong Washburn Ihabod five here last night in a thrilling overtime battle 56-50. The Mules ace guard, Bennington, scored all of Warrensburg's points in the overtime period, to lead the Mules to a hard earned triumph.

The lead changed hands six times in the second half, keeping the crowd in a continuous uproar. Thompson, a Mule reserve, again proved to be the sparkplug of the game by scoring ten points in the last half.

The Warrensburg five was leading in the closing minutes of the game, 50-48, when Rupp of Washburn, tied the score to send the game into an overtime period. However, the MIAA leaders, playing inspired ball, clinched the game for the Mules. Warrensburg led at the half 25-24.

	G	F	T
Warrensburg	2	3	2
Boyd, Dale, f	1	0	0
Wood, f	1	0	0
Insley, f	0	2	4
Mueller, f	4	3	3
Sellman, c	2	2	2
French, c	4	1	4
Thompson, c	5	0	1
Bennington, g	2	3	1
Cassing, g	1	0	1
Totals	21	14	18

	G	F	T
Washburn	1	2	4
Wagoner, f	0	0	2
Weeks, f	0	0	2
Quinlan, f	3	0	4
Carlson, c	6	1	5
Shakeshaft, c	0	2	0
Warner, g	2	2	5
Benson, g	0	0	0
Rupp, g	8	3	2
Totals	20	10	22

Officials: Hinshaw and Glennon.

Sports Mirror

By The Associated Press
TODAY A YEAR AGO — Alan Ford, Yale swimming captain, set three sprint swimming marks at New Haven.

THREE YEARS AGO — The St. Louis Browns announced the selection of Cape Girardeau, Mo., as their spring training camp site.

FIVE YEARS AGO — Alice Marble lost her first singles tennis match since 1938 when Mary Hardwick defeated her 6-4, 4-6, 6-2 in Boston.

TEN YEARS AGO — Pitcher Clydel Castleman of the New York Giants and Outfielder Sam West of the St. Louis Browns returned their contracts unsigned to their respective clubs.

American engineers, using hot coals to keep concrete from freezing, built a heavy bridge across the Moselle river in 16 days.

Joe Louis and Billy Conn in Talk on 'Cut'

They Figure Their Take Will be Small After the Tax Take

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 23.—(P)—Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis got together with contender Billy Conn here for some strictly practical talk — the size of the gate for their June 19 title match, the size of their "cut" and (groan) size of their income tax.

Louis was here touring with Luis Russell's band. Billy the Kid was taking time off from his Hot Springs, Ark., training camp for a visit with his family. How Much Will We Get?

Disposing of the amenities, Conn got down to cases and asked Joe what he thought the gate would be and "how much will we get?"

"I don't know but it should be big, very big," Louis considered. "The last time I talked with Mike Jacobs he told me they had over 10,000 tickets on order for the fight. That's a lot of tickets sold for five months before the fight."

"It sure is," returned Conn. "I hope Uncle Sam leaves us a little of that dough after he gets his, but I don't think so. You and I can stick all we get in one pocket, eh, Joe?"

"Yeah, I've been reading where you're worried about your income tax," replied the champion. "It don't help none to worry about it."

Joe said he would be through band touring January 28 and will await orders from Jacobs on when to start training.

Billy said he would return to Hot Springs sometime next week.

As the two parted, Billy remarked to a reporter: "Joe's such a nice guy, but I'll have to whip him next June. I want that title."

Present Plays At Smithton

Three one-act plays were presented by the English class of Mrs. Gertrude Wagner, of Smithton high school, at the school Thursday night. Class members directed the presentations, which were as follows:

"Twin Fires." Directors, Ruth Evelyn Green and Donald Oehrke. Characters: Mildred Sullivan, Melva May; Jane Foster, Betty Jean Meyer; Larry, J. W. Twenter; Mrs. Sullivan, Stella Jo Young; Mr. Sullivan, E. H. Schlotzhauser.

"Warting." Directors, Marjorie Stuart and Marian Monsees. Characters: Dolly, Mary Jean Sartain; Katie, Helen Anderson; Matron, Lois O'Neil; Ben, Donald Harsh; guard, Lloyd Holman.

"The Great Allowance Battle." Directors, Lois Bremer and Wilma Wagenknecht. Characters: Mr. Jones, Lloyd Holman; Mrs. Jones, Ella Dean Brereton; Paul Jones, Mac Muschancy; Junior Jones, Bob Ray; Mary Jones, Norma Scott.

Special musical numbers presented by the English class.

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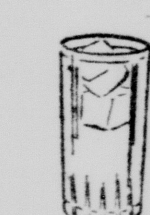
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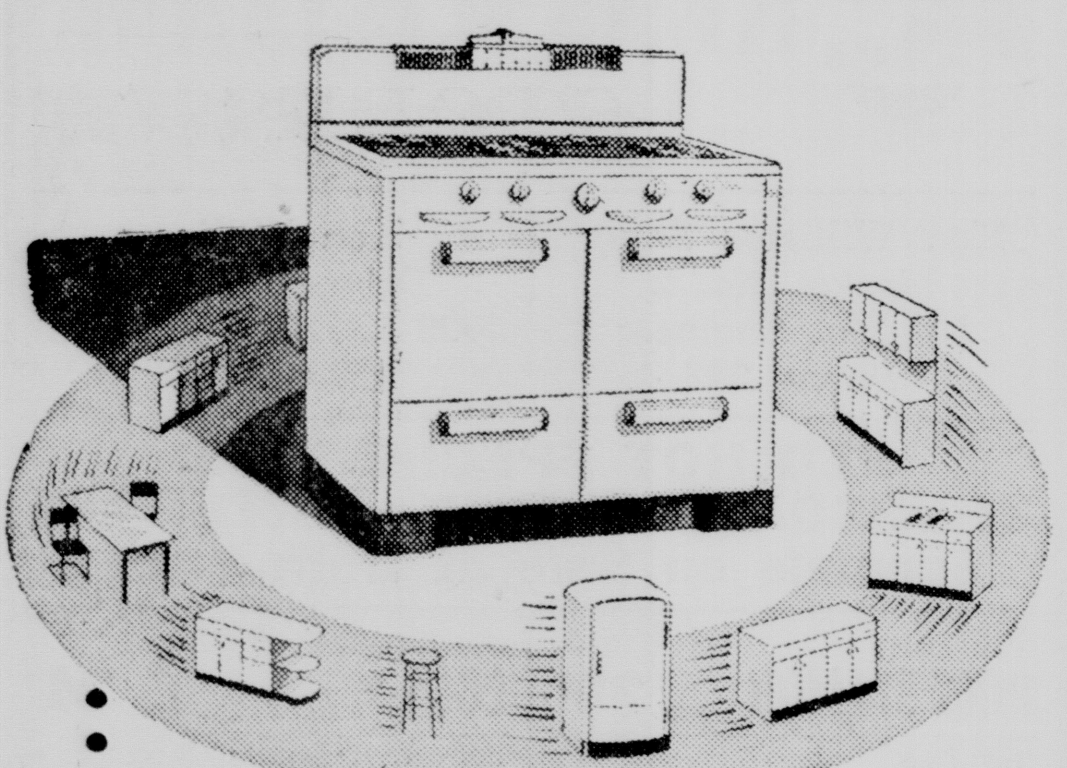
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tual Improvement club of Green
Ridge was held at the home of Mr.
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Grace Still was assistant hostess.

Mrs. Loy Smith was in charge of
the business session during which
the 1946 year books were distrib-
uted. The club paid an assess-
ment to the Mobile Unit, a travel-
ing library being sponsored by the
fifth district, and accepted an in-
vitation for an exchange program
with the Nautilus club of La-
Monte. Greetings were read from
two former club members, Mrs.
Celia Craghead of Fulton and Mrs.
Elvis Anderson of Kansas City.

Musical Program
A musical request program,
with Mrs. G. E. Morrow at the
piano, composed the afternoon
program sponsored by the Amer-
ican Home department, of which
Mrs. Morrow is chairman. Mem-
bers sang, "The Star Spangled
Banner," "God Bless America" and
a number of old time favor-
ites.

Mrs. Allan Kendrick and Mrs.
L. B. Beach, girlhood friends and
college mates, played a piano duet,
after which Miss Sara Morrow,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morrow,
played a violin solo. Miss Grace
Still, primary teacher, who has
been very successful with the
rhythm band in Green Ridge
public school, gave the club mem-
bers an opportunity to participate
in the band led by Sue Harbit,
Jackie Kendrick and Shelley Sue
Morrow and directed by Miss
Stead.

Awards In Contest
Honors were given Miss Gayle
Kendrick and Mrs. Forrest L. Cal-
vert in a contest in which mem-
bers named songs having the word
"home" in the titles or verses.
Refreshments were served.

Printing System Bill Approved

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 23 —
(P)—A new state printing system
was approved by the Missouri
senate Friday as it advanced a
centralized revenue department
bill termed the heart of the 1945
constitution.

Ending two days of debate on
the measure, key to dozens of
others, senate leaders expressed
gratification at the quick action.
It has been scheduled for enact-
ment by the end of February to
give plenty of time for putting the
new central tax collecting agency
into operation by the start of the
next fiscal year.

Thirty-four amendments were
considered before the bill was
moulded into shape for advance-
ment.

The bitterest fight came on a
move by Sen. C. R. Hawkins (R)
of Brumley to keep the present
state printing system under which
a Jefferson City firm holds the
contract for all state printing.

Sen. W. H. Robinett (R) of
Mountain Grove dubbed Hawkins' move
"The gray train amendment" and added:

"Of all the fat hogs that have
fed in the public trough, the one
hog that has waxed the fattest is
the printing monopoly here in
Jefferson City."

He said Hawkins "represents the
district where the sty of this fat
hog happens to be located," and
applied the same terminology to

Women's Wrath on 'Ike'



(NEA TELEPHOTO)
On his way to a congressional hearing, Gen. Dwight Eisenhower is delayed in the office of Andrew
J. May, chairman of the House Military Affairs committee, Washington, D. C., by a group of ser-
vicemen's wives who demanded a speedup in the release of their husbands. Rep. May is at the
right of the general, and leading the women's delegation is Mrs. Galomb. Wilkensburg, Penn.

Sen. Edward V. Long (D) of
Bowling Green, who supported
Hawkins. Long, Robinett pointed
out, represents Cole county (Jeff-
erson City) under the senatorial
redistricting effected last year.

Long replied that fact would not
cloud his judgment on the issue.
He said all opposition to the pres-
ent printing setup was merely
"hearsay, rumor, innuendo and in-
sultation."

Court Action Follows Accident

As a result of the accident at
Fifth street and M. K. T. crossing
Monday, Kenneth Lange of Route
Five, Sedalia, was fined \$10 on
charges of being drunk. William
Broadus of East 50 highway for-
feited \$25 bond when he failed to
appear in police court to face
charges of being drunk, resisting
arrest and trying to escape an of-
ficer and the third man, Cecil
Lange of Route Five, was com-
mitted to the county jail under
\$1,000 bond on charges of drunk-
en driving.

They appeared before C. W.
Bente on Tuesday morning.

The driver of the car, Cecil
Lange, reportedly drove into a
standing coal car when crossing
the tracks at Fifth street and bad-
ly damaged the 1935 Dodge he
was driving. Driver and passen-
gers were taken to the police sta-
tion to be given first aid and book-
ed.

Twins Still Hope To Soon Meet

Jimmy Long, 21, son of Mr. and
Mrs. John Long, of Salinas, Calif.,
who is a guest of his uncle and
aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Ryan and
family of rural route 5, expected
to meet his twin brother, Johnny
Long, in the midwest, when the
latter was discharged from the
army.

Their paths crossed, however,
Jimmy came east and Johnny
went west.

Johnny Long was inducted in
service three years ago at Ft.
Leavenworth, Kas., and it was
presumed by his family that he
would be released there. How-
ever, when he arrived recently
from duty in Europe he was sent
by air from New York to the west
coast.

His twin brother will continue

Community News from Houstonia

Mrs. Bennie Martin

Wilbur Adams is at home, hav-
ing received his military dis-
charge.

Jimmie Shelton Rissler, station-
ed at Chicago, Ill., spent the last
three week-ends with his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rissler, and
brother, John Bill.

Orvil Frank Martin, who re-
ceived his naval discharge Decem-
ber 30 at Shoaemaker, Calif., and
his wife of Long Beach, Calif.,
arrived in Sedalia January 10 to
visit his brother-in-law and sister,
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Vickrey.
In Houstonia they visited his par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Mar-
tin. They are spending part of
this week with her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. R. Tyler and family, near
Dunksburg. During Frank's 27
months in the navy, he spent 14
months in the Pacific area, having
made several trips to Japan on the
ship, "U. S. S. Highlands."

The Missionary society of the
Community church held its Jan-
uary meeting at the home of Mrs.
Nathan Harris.

Houstonia B. T. U. was rep-
resented by 13 members who at-
tended the quarterly B. T. U. As-
sociational meeting at the Sedalia
Calvary Baptist church the after-
noon of January 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hoffman and
sons spent Sunday in Kansas City,
where they attended a dinner
celebrating the 80th birthday an-
niversary of Mrs. Hoffman's aunt.

Miss Ila Mae Hoffman, St. Louis,
recently spent a few days with
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will
Hoffman, and her brother.

Mrs. W. C. Westbrook had as
Sunday dinner guests Mr. and
Mrs. Ernest Delapp and daughter,
Pauline, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace
Smiley and children, Miss Jose-
phine Butts and Mr. Belle West-
brook.

Clifford Davis of Kansas City,
who received his discharge from
the navy December 4, plans to re-
turn to Houstonia. He spent two
years and six months in the navy,

22 months of which were spent in
the South Pacific area.

Clifford Bell has arrived home
after receiving his naval dis-
charge following 18 months' ser-
vice, including nine spent overseas.
He was stationed on the U. S. S.
Cullman.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Stringham
of Ft. Worth, Tex., recently spent
a few days with her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. J. E. Hand and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Newsom and son,
Lee Arden, of Kansas City, visited
friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Eckles had as
Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Ed
Eckles and family of Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tuck have
moved their household goods from
Marshall to the home property
they recently purchased.

The Women's Missionary Union
of the Baptist church held its Jan-
uary meeting at the home of Mrs.
Anna Tagtmeyer.

Miss Ada Stephens has return-
ed to her school teaching duties in
Wyoming after spending a few
weeks here with her sister, Miss
Mary Stephens, who has ill and is
now improving.

Davis Robb, son of the Rev. and
Mrs. W. L. Robb, arrived home
from overseas service January 5.

State Service Officer On January 29

The next regular visit of the as-
sistant state service officer to
Pettis county will be Tuesday,
January 29, at the county court
room.

Veterans, or members of a vet-
eran's or serviceman's family, de-
siring advice with claims should
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John G. Lueck, Fire Chief, Makes Report

Compiles Fire Losses and Alarms for Year 1945

Fire losses and alarms for the year 1945, in the City of Sedalia, as compiled and reported to the City Council by John G. Lueck, fire chief, are as follows:

A total of 307 alarms are listed as follows:

Burning grass, trash, leaves, brush, etc., 61; unknown, 38; burning flues, 23; sparks from flue, 21; overheated flues, stoves, furnace pipes, 14; gasoline and oil stoves overflow and explosions, 12; shorts in electric wiring, 10; burning grass and trash set fire to buildings, 9; smoking stoves and furnaces, 9; burning grease on stoves and ovens, 8; wallpaper over flue holes and flue caps, 6; thawing water pipes, 5; brooder stoves, 5; stuck motors, 5; false alarms, 4; defective stove and furnace pipes, 4; electric light wires in trees, 4; clogged and smoking flues, 3; defective flues, 3; lint in air ducts, 3; lightning, 3; stove pipe fell, 3; hot ashes, 2.

Cigarette on furniture, 2; cigarette on awning, 2; reflections from sun and fuse, 2; clothes in pans which boiled dry on stoves, 2; blow torch overflowed, 1; children playing with candles, 1; cigarette in trash box, 1; asphalt kettle, 1; broken connection on gas plate, 1; tree on fire, 1; incendiary, 1; automatic fire spray mistaken for smoke, 1; failure to disconnect electric iron, 1; defective fuses, 1; stoker out of coal, 1; acetylene torch set fire to paint on tank, 1; washing grease rack with gasoline, 1. Total 276.

Motor Vehicles

Automobiles, motorcycles, trucks and air compressor: short in trash box, 1; asphalt kettle, 1; tor, 9; cigarette on cushion, 3; alcohol, 3; hot exhaust pipe, 1; unknown, 1. Total, 30.

Outside of city limits, run made to city limits, 1.

Total fire alarms answered for the year, 1945—307.

Spread from original fire, 1; total damage to adjoining buildings, \$23.74.

Death from fires in the City of Sedalia for the year 1945—None.

Insurance Losses

Fire losses and insurance carried on buildings and contents for the year 1945:

Insurance on buildings...\$292,690.00

Insurance on contents.... 91,050.00

Total.....\$383,740.00

Insurance loss paid on buildings.....\$22,210.05

Insurance loss paid on contents..... 9,320.25

Total.....\$31,530.30

Insurance loss paid where fire department was not called.....\$ 1,112.81

Estimated uninsured loss on buildings..... 5,577.50

Estimated uninsured loss on contents..... 3,195.00

Total amount of losses for the year 1945.....\$41,415.61

Pettis Chapter No. 279, O. E. S., will meet in regular session Friday January 25th, at 7:30 p. m. Visiting members welcome. Obligation ceremony.

Mildred M. Reed, W. M. Gertrude Holland, Sec.

Prominent St. Louisan Dies

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 23.—(P)—F. W. A. Vesper, 72, automobile dealer and former president of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce, died at Phoenix, Ariz., last night, friends here learned today. He went to Arizona about ten days ago.

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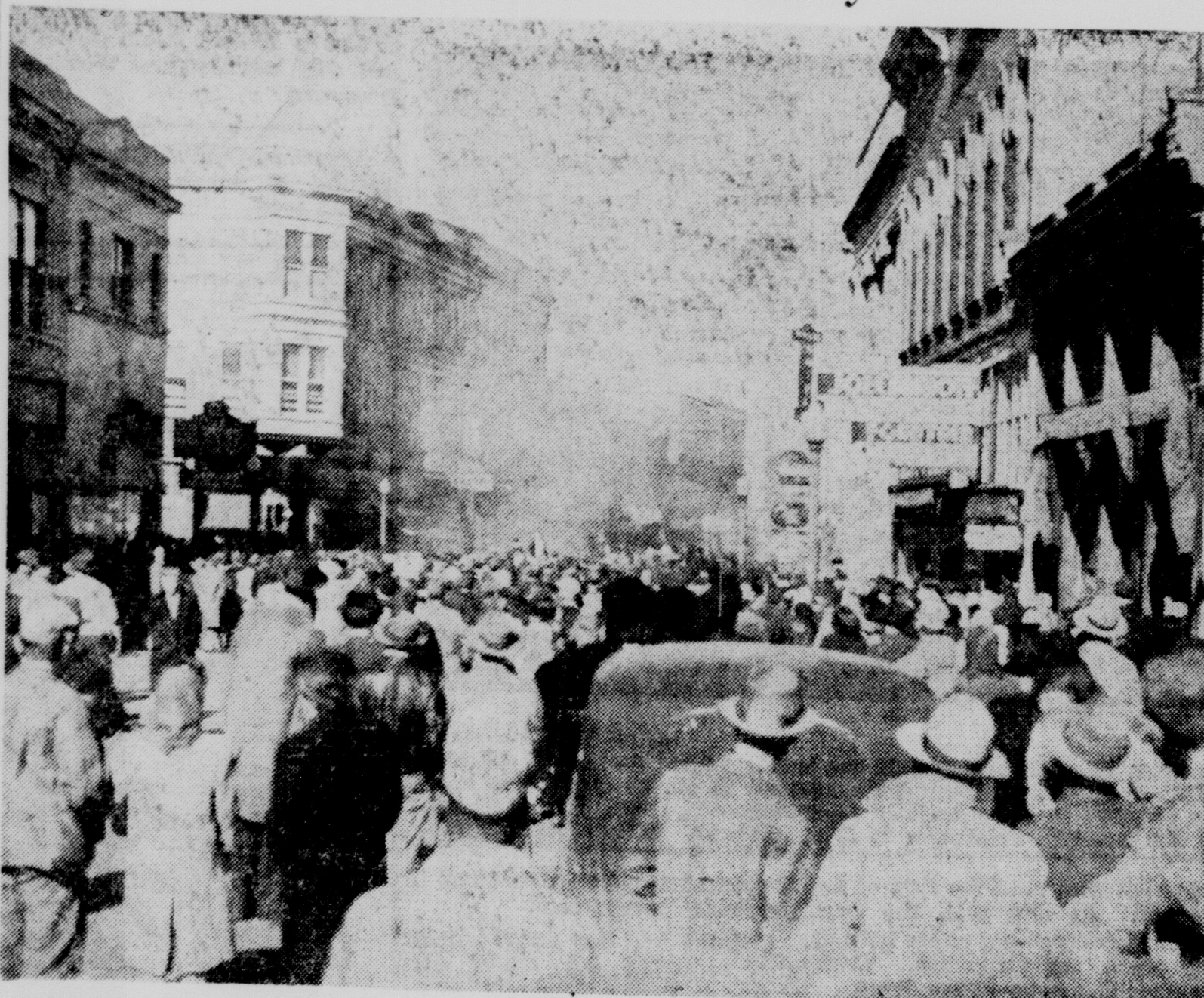
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Crowds Watch Downtown Fire Tuesday



Top: Ohio avenue, between Third and Fourth streets, shortly after noon on Tuesday as people watched the fire at the Pfingst building. Below: A close-up view of the two top stories. Firemen are in the interior fighting the flames.

(Photos by Lehmer.)

OBITUARIES

Shirley Ann Rogers Service

Funeral services for Shirley Ann Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rogers, formerly of Sedalia, who died of pneumonia at her home in Addison, Ill., will be held Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, at the Fortuna Baptist church with the Rev. H. U. Campbell officiating.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

The body will be taken to the family home at 1907 South Quincy avenue and will be removed to Fortuna at 2:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Emma Jane Marriott

Mrs. Emma Jane Marriott, mother of H. C. Boyer, 312 East Sixteenth street, died at a hospital in Humansville Friday night. Had she lived until January 27, she would have been 85 years old. Surviving other than the son mentioned are two other children: E. R. Boyer of Texas and Mrs. Guy Kennon of Humansville, 27 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

H. C. Boyer, accompanied by his daughter Mrs. Tom Owen of Sedalia, went to Humansville Saturday, where funeral services were held Tuesday. Graveside services were held at Sunset Hill cemetery at Warrensburg Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 p. m., where interment was made.

Others from Sedalia who attended the graveside services were Mrs. Smith Thomas and Mrs. Everett Kelley. Mrs. Opal Bryant and Mrs. Hazel Tisch of Kansas City and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Callis and children of Hughesville also attended.

Mrs. Amy Rutledge Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Amy Rutledge, widow of John Rutledge, who died Monday afternoon at Bothwell hospital after a long illness, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the McLaughlin chapel with the Rev. E. K. Jones officiating.

Pallbearers were J. W. Larabee, Ernest Mason, Albert Dillon, Jodie Hohimer, Albert Kraus and Floyd Dillon.

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Negro Picket Shot, Wounded

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 23.—(P)—A Negro picket on duty near the entrance of the St. Louis Independent packing company here was shot and wounded today by a non-striking Negro worker who had been turned back by pickets as he tried to enter the plant.

Police arrested Walter Curry, butcher at the plant, who said he fired one shot into a group of pickets when they "started after me." He told police he started carrying the pistol several days ago after he was threatened by pickets.

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Membership Strike Vote

CLEVELAND, Jan. 23.—(P)—One railroad brotherhood today authorized a strike vote among its members and another indicated preparations for a similar vote, in a dispute with the nation's railroads over wage issues and a series of complex changes in working rules.

A. F. Whitney, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, said a committee of chairmen representing the brotherhood in each railroad authorized the membership vote on a strike, and estimated it would require three weeks to complete. The Trainmen's organization has about 215,000 members.

Alvaney Johnston, Grand Chief Engineer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, said brotherhood chairmen from each railroad would meet here February 1, "and it is distinct possibility that they will authorize a strike vote among our 78,000 members."

Whitney said the membership vote would be taken on the question of two issues—a demand for a general wage increase of 25 percent, and numerous changes in operating regulations to improve working conditions.

Controls off Games and Toys

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—(P)—Price controls on all games and many toys will be suspended indefinitely beginning January 28, the OPA announced today.

At the same time controls on 24 miscellaneous commodities, most of them minor food products, will be dropped.

The exemption on toys applies to all types except so-called "wheel goods," such as wagons longer than 18 inches, tricycles, velocipedes and children's automobiles.

Explaining removal of other controls, OPA said demand for toys and games is at the annual post-holiday low point. It added that any price increases resulting "will be of slight importance in the cost of living."

The list of miscellaneous commodities from which ceilings are being removed includes such canned foods as sweet potatoes, parsnips, rutabagas, turnips, sauerkraut juice and cabbage.

Among other items are fresh hothouse lettuce; imported snuff, cigar cuttings and clippings; frozen clams and oysters; and ice cream sandwich wafers.

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Differences Of Opinion Over Measure

Committee Takes Teeth Out of Truman's Bill

By James Marlow

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—(P)—A group of congressmen, the House Labor committee, has cut the heart out of President Truman's plan for setting up fact-finding boards to settle labor disputes.

Maybe the full House or Senate will put the heart back in. Maybe not.

But if the heart's out, why do anything? This is an explanation. Under his extraordinary wartime powers, President Truman has set up such boards in the present labor crisis. The boards are supposed to learn the truth.

But they have no authority under law to examine a company's books. And there's no law saying a union can't strike while the board is working.

So President Truman asked Congress to pass a law, which would be a permanent law in wartime or peacetime, to give him or any president this power in a labor dispute:

1. To set up a fact-finding board.
2. To give the board authority to examine a company's books.
3. To forbid a strike for 30 days while the board was working.

Business opposed the part which gave a board power to examine a company's books.

And labor rebelled against the provision which would forbid a strike for 30 days while the board was working.

Before the bill can become a law—the president's proposal was introduced in Congress as a bill—the full House and Senate must debate and vote on it.

But before a bill gets up to the House or Senate for debate or action, it must go through a committee. This bill was sent to the House Labor committee. The committee had bottled up the bill for weeks.

A bill generally collapses and dies right there when a committee votes against letting the full Congress vote on it. The committee can also change a bill any way it wishes. It changed it in this case.

Changed Bill

It approved, for full House action, a bill which would permit the president to set up fact-finding boards. But—

1. The board would not have power to examine a company's books.
2. It would not forbid labor unions to strike while the board worked.

So that leaves for the full House only a bill giving the president authority to set up fact-finding boards. Some congressmen have already called such a bill "useless."

Then why would Congress go through the motions of voting on it or passing it into law? Here is why:

First of all, a board must be paid. The government can't ask men to serve on the board for nothing.

Must Be Paid

So, the bill as it stands would regularize for Mr. Truman or any future president the means of setting up fact finding boards.

Once a bill providing for fact-finding boards became law, Congress would have to make provisions for paying such boards out of government money.

Actually, instead of setting up such boards himself in peacetime if he lacked legal authority to pay them, the president could tell the secretary of labor to appoint them.

The Labor Department, out of funds given it by Congress, could pay the boards.

So the bill approved by the labor committee is the weakest kind of fact-finding bill it could pass. It's completely denuded of the real powers Mr. Truman wanted for fact-finding boards.

When the full House and Senate act on it, they may change it around to the way Mr. Truman wanted it. Don't bet on this. Congress generally follows the thinking of its committees.

Veteran of the Pacific Here

Staff Sergeant James W. Smith, Jr., of Quincy, Mo., is spending a few days visiting with his uncle Judge J. E. Smith and Mrs. Smith, 202 South Prospect avenue, and his aunt, Mrs. Anna Crawford, 118 South Quincy avenue.

S/Sgt. Smith returned to the United States January 10 from the Pacific theatre of war, and is now on a ninety-day furlough. He has re-enlisted in the service and upon reporting will go to Alaska.

He was a member of the 96th Division and took part in the invasion of Leyte, P. I. and Okinawa.

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The Markets

St. Louis Livestock
NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., Jan. 23.—(P)—(USDA)—Hogs, 6,000; uneven; 150 pounds up and down steady; lighter weights 25 to 75 cents or more lower; bulk good and choice barrows and gilts 150 pounds up \$14.00 to \$14.50; 90 to 110 pounds \$12.50 to \$13.75; lighter weights down to \$11.00; sows \$14.05; stags \$13.75 to \$13.65.

Cattle, 3,000; calves 800; moderately active and opening deals steady on good steers at \$15.50 to \$16.35; some held higher; heifers and mixed yearlings along with cows opening about steady; medium heifers and mixed yearlings \$12.00 to \$14.00; good beef cows \$12.00 to \$14.00; common and good sausage bulls \$11.50 to \$12.50; choice vealers \$17.90; medium and good \$13.00 to \$16.55.

Sheep, 1,000; market slow; around two decks good and choice native and fed lambs to city butchers steady at \$15.50; with a few small lots \$13.00 to \$15.25; some bids 25 cents or more lower.

Kansas City Livestock
KANSAS CITY, Jan. 23.—(P)—(USDA)—Cattle, 3,100; calves 200; choice slaughter steers slow, barely steady; cows steady; bulls full of milk; steady to strong; medium good and choice vealers and calves active, firm; good and choice beef steers \$13.50 to \$17.00; few loads choice medium weights \$17.50 to \$17.75; common and medium steers \$12.50 to \$14.25; good and choice heifers and mixed yearlings largely \$15.00 to \$16.25; heifers held above this; heavier cows \$12.00 to \$14.00; cutter, common and medium choice heavy calves \$12.50 to \$14.50; good and choice vealers \$14.50 to \$15.50; good stock calves steady at \$14.00.

Hogs, 4,100; rather slow, uneven, 15 to 20 cents lower; most good and choice 160 to 240 pounds \$14.35 to \$14.40; small lots to \$14.55; heavier weights \$14.25 to \$14.35; sows \$13.50 to \$13.60.

Sheep 500; no sales.

Chicago Poultry
CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—(P)—(USDA)—Live poultry, firm; receipts 13 trucks; no cars; FOB prices: broilers 29¢ to 31¢; fryers 28¢ to 30¢; broilers 28¢ to 30¢; other prices unchanged.

Chicago Produce
CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—(P)—Butter, firm; receipts 183, 668; market unchanged. Eggs, receipts 14,043; weak; U. S. extras 1 and 2, 35¢ to 36¢; U. S. standards 3 and 4, 34¢ to 35¢; U. S. standards 32¢ to 33¢; current receipts 32¢ to 32½¢; dirties 30¢; check 30.

Kansas City Produce
KANSAS CITY, Jan. 23.—(P)—Produce: Eggs, extras 34½¢ to 35¢; standards 33¢; current receipts 31½¢ to 32¢.

Chicago Grain Table
CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—(P)—

	High	Low	Close	Close
WHEAT			Wed.	Tues.
May	1.80 1/4	1.79 1/2	1.80 1/4	1.80 1/4
July	1.80 1/4	1.79 1/2	1.80 1/4	1.79 1/2
Sept	1.80 1/4	1.79 1/2	1.80 1/4	1.79 1/2
CORN			Wed.	Tues.
May	1.18 1/2	1.18 1/2	1.18 1/2	1.18 1/2
July	1.18 1/2	1.18 1/2	1.18 1/2	1.18 1/2
Sept	1.18 1/2	1.18 1/2	1.18 1/2	1.18 1/2
OATS			Wed.	Tues.
May	.81	.80 3/4	.81	.80 3/4
July	.80 3/4	.79 3/4	.80 3/4	.79 3/4
Sept	.78 3/4	.77 3/4	.78 3/4	.77 3/4
Dec	.78 3/4	.77 3/4	.78 3/4	.77 3/4
RYE			Wed.	Tues.
May	2.02	1.99	2.00 1/2	1.97 1/2
July	1.44 1/2	1.44 1/2	1.44 1/2	1.44 1/2
Sept	1.44 1/2	1.44 1/2	1.44 1/2	1.44 1/2
Dec	1.44 1/2	1.44 1/2	1.44 1/2	1.44 1/2
BARLEY			Wed.	Tues.
May	1.22 1/2	1.22 1/2	1.22 1/2	1.22 1/2
July	1.22 1/2	1.22 1/2	1.22 1/2	1.22 1/2
Sept	1.20 1/2	1.19 1/2	1.20 1/2	1.19 1/2

Kansas City Cash Grain
KANSAS CITY, Jan. 23.—(P)—Wheat: 187 cars; unchanged; No. 2 dark and hard nominal \$1.69 1/2 to \$1.82 1/2; No. 3 nominal, \$1.68 1/2 to \$1.81 1/2; No. 2 red, nominal \$1.74 to \$1.76 1/2; No. 3, nominal \$1.74 to \$1.76 1/2.

Corn: 30 cars; unchanged; No. 2 white, nominal \$1.29 to \$1.30 1/2; No. 3, nominal \$1.29 1/2 to \$1.30 1/2; No. 2 yellow, nominal \$1.13 1/2 to \$1.15 1/2; No. 3, nominal \$1.13 1/2 to \$1.14 1/2; No. 2 mixed \$1.13 1/2 to \$1.14 1/2; No. 3, nominal \$1.11 1/2 to \$1.14 1/2.

Soybeans: 15 cars; unchanged; No. 2 white, nominal 77 1/2 to 82¢; No. 3, nominal 74 1/2 to 81 1/2¢.

Milo: 10 cars; nominal \$2.32 1/2 to \$2.50 1/2.

Kafir, nominal \$2.32 1/2 to \$2.50 1/2.

Rye, nominal \$1.84 to \$2.02.

Barley, nominal \$1.14 to \$1.90.

Chicago Livestock
CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—(P)—(USDA)—Hogs 17,500; steady at ceilings; \$14.85 for actually all barrows and gilts and \$14.10 for sows.

Cattle 8,500; calves 500; generally steady to 25 cents lower; bulk steers \$15.50 to \$18.00; about 25 loads at \$18.00 ceiling; best heifers \$17.25; most heifers \$13.50 to \$16.25; good beef cows to \$14.50; bulk 25 cents lower at \$9.75 to \$9.00; canners and cutters \$7.50 to \$8.50; weighty sausage bulls \$13.50; vealers \$15.50 down.

Sheep 3,000; about steady; good and choice native lambs \$15.00 to \$15.10; mixed medium to choice fed lambs \$14.75, no ewe sales.

Leading Stocks At Close

American and For. Power	8 1/2	Close	Tues.
American Smelt. and R.	66 3/4	67 1/2	67 1/2
American Tel. and Tel.	190 1/2	190 1/2	190 1/2
American Tobacco B.	91 3/4	92 1/2	92 1/2
Anacosta	46 1/4	47 1/2	47 1/2
Atchafalaya	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Atlas Powder	95 1/2	94	94
Aviation Corp.	11 1/4	12 1/2	12 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Chrysler Corp.	133 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Coca-Cola	179 1/2	179 1/2	179 1/2
Curtis-Wright	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Du Pont de Nu.	185	186	186
Eastman Kodak	235 1/2	235 1/2	235 1/2
General Electric	47 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
General Foods	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
General Motors	75	76	76
International Harvester	94	94 1/2	94 1/2
International Shoe	49	49	49
International Tel. and Tel.	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Kennecott Corp.	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Union Carbide	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Liggett and Meyers B.	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Lodge-Wells Biscuit	81	81	81
Standard Oil, Petroleum	34	34	34
Missouri-Kansas-Texas	16	16	16
Montgomery Ward	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Nash-Kelvinator	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
National Cash Register	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Northern Copper	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Northern Ore.	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Packard Motor	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Packaging Corp.	38	38	38
Phillips Petroleum	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Purity Baking	33 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Radio Corp. of America	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Raymond Corp. B	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Rockwell Corp.	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Sears Roebuck	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Skelly Oil	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Southern Calif. Edison	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Southern Oil Ind.	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Studebaker Corporation	32	32	32
Swift and Co.	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
U. S. Steel	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2

Leaders on The Curve

American Light and Tel.	28 1/2	Close	Tues.
Arkansas Nat. Gas	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Arkansas Nat. Gas A.	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Cities Service	32	32	32
Electric Storage P.	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
El Bond and Sh.	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Ford Motor Can. A.	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Ford Motor Ltd.	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
General Electric	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Southern Royalty	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Standard Oil Ky.	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2

Youthful Hero Volunteered For Dangerous Guadalcanal Mission That Cost his Life

In World War I, Sgt. Alvin York, a Tennessee backwoodsman, won the Congressional Medal of Honor and was recognized as the nation's outstanding war hero. To find the men from each of the military services whose records in World War II most closely resemble York's, NEA Service called upon an unofficial committee representing veterans' organizations and newspapermen who also were veterans. All of the men selected won the CMH. Four of them are living. This first dispatch tells the story of Douglas Munro, who lost his life on Guadalcanal and is the only Coast Guardsman to win the nation's highest award.



"For conspicuous gallantry in action above and beyond the call of duty" Coast Guardsman Douglas A. Munro was awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor. Munro, shown in this treasured family snapshot died on Guadalcanal.

By DOUGLAS LARSEN
NEA Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, (NEA)—In a tiny church in South Cle Elum, Wash., there is an altar to the memory of Douglas Albert Munro, signalman first class, United States Coast Guard.

It was erected by the citizens of that tiny community in honor of their outstanding war hero. Munro was killed at Guadalcanal and is the only Coast Guardsman to receive the Congressional Medal of Honor in World War II.

There was a terrible urgency in our invasion of Guadalcanal in 1942. It was our first offensive strike in the Pacific and represented a transition from the inglorious defensive position in which Pearl Harbor had placed us. The flow of men and materiel

could not be interrupted. It was the job of the men in the Navy and Coast Guard landing craft to see that every Marine and every gun got ashore.

The story of Douglas Munro can best be told by Comdr. D. H. Dexter, his commanding officer. He wrote it in a letter to Munro's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Munro, when it became his duty to advise them of their son's death.

Volunteered

"On Sunday, the 27th of September," wrote the commander, "an expedition was sent into an area where trouble was to be expected. Douglas was in charge of

the 10 boats which took the men ashore.

"In the latter part of the afternoon, the situation had not developed as had been anticipated and in order to save the expedition it became necessary to send the boats back to evacuate the men. Volunteers were called for and true to the highest traditions of the Coast Guard and also to traditions with which you had imbued your son, he was among the first to volunteer and was put in charge of the detail.

"The evacuation was as successful as could be hoped for under fire. But as always happens, the last men to leave the beach are the hardest pressed because they have been acting as the covering agents for the withdrawal of the other men. Your son, knowing this, so placed himself and his boats that he could act as the covering agent for the last men. By his action and successful maneuvers, he brought back a far greater number of men than had been hoped for.

"He received his wound just as the last men were getting in the boats and clearing the beach. Upon regaining consciousness his only question was:

"Did they get off?"

Heroism Shown

"He died with a smile in the full knowledge that he had successfully accomplished a dangerous mission.

"I am sending this to you directly, for I feel you should have the privilege of knowing the facts, but request that you keep it confidential until such time as the official notification is received.

"In the year and a half that I have known Douglas, I have grown to admire him, and through him, you, he is the true type of American manhood that is going to win this war."

Douglas' heroism had been demonstrated before that fateful day on the beach at Guadal. He was in an open landing boat with several officers and men looking for



A Coast Guardsman stands in silent tribute beside the grave of his shipmate, Signalman 1/c Douglas A. Munro.

the two-man crew of a Navy dive bomber which had been forced down at sea off Savo Island. They ran into a Jap landing party and found themselves under heavy enemy fire. Munro returned the fire with a rifle and coolly maneuvered the boat out of range.

When news of her son's death arrived, Mrs. Munro said: "We are a Coast Guard family through Doug. He loved his service. I am happy to be eligible to serve in it."

She promptly joined the SPARS, Coast Guard Women's Reserve, and served as a lieutenant until she resigned, November 1, 1945.

Douglas Munro was born October 11, 1919, in Vancouver, B. C. He attended Cle Elum High School, later studied for a year at

Central Washington College of Education. He enlisted in the Coast Guard, September 18, 1939.

His father is the chief operator of the Subauke Railroad's electrical substation at South Cle Elum. Mrs. Munro has a daughter, Mrs. John Burton, who lives in Seattle.

The heroism of Douglas Albert Munro has been indelibly inscribed in the naval registry. A destroyer escort sails today proudly bearing his name.

Divorce Action Dismissed

The divorce suit of William Z. Choplin was dismissed in the Circuit Court Tuesday on request of the plaintiff, whose attorney is Leo J. Harned.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

Burglaries At Service Stations

Two break-ins were reported Monday night both being on East Broadway. The Allen Service station in the 1700 block on East Broadway reported thieves had entered the place by breaking the glass in a rear window and releasing the latch. Ten packs of cigarettes were stolen.

Second on the list, was the Hudson Oil Company, also on East Broadway. A hasp was broken loose from the door to gain entrance. Thieves there found a hidden money sack which netted them \$35. Small change amounting to two dollars was left in the stock.

Officers Killed In Bomber Crash

ENID, Oklahoma, Jan. 23—(AP)—Two Philippine army officers, Major Basilio B. Fernando and Lieut. Secundo M. De Leon, were killed when an army bomber crashed and exploded near Drummond, Okla., the Enid army air force public relations officer announced Tuesday.

Both were members of a group of flying students undergoing instruction at the Enid field.

The bomber caught fire in mid-air.

Officials said the bodies probably would be taken to California for burial.

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The Daily Washington
Merry-Go-Round
by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23— It is not being advertised, but if newly appointed Stuart Symington does make good as assistant secretary of war, he is almost certain to be upped to the No. 1 job in the war department, replacing Bob Patterson as secretary of war.

Meanwhile GIs can expect Symington to lean over backward to give them a break. He's that kind of guy. Probably the best of President Truman's Missouri appointments, Symington started businessmen several years ago by putting a share-the-profits plan into effect in his Emerson Electric plant in St. Louis. It worked wonders with labor.

In Washington, Symington has surprised earlier critics by his forthright handling of the extremely difficult surplus property snarl. One of the last things he did as surplus property administrator was to force the Aluminum Corporation of America to turn over its patents to the government.

On the surface, ALCOA's offer looked like a magnanimous gesture, but behind the scenes it took some tough talking by Symington and Assistant Attorney General Wendell Berge to put it across.

Andy Mellon's Monopoly

The Aluminum corporation, which made the late Andrew Mellon one of the three richest men in America, had long enjoyed an airtight monopoly, was exposed by the justice department for combining with the Germans to curtail magnesium production—essential to the airplane industry. As a result, an anti-trust decision now hangs over ALCOA's head.

This was the weapon used by Symington and Berge to bludgeon ALCOA into sharing its aluminum patents. During the war, ALCOA produced aluminum in government-owned plants, but, thanks to the vigilance of the justice department and Secretary Ickes, a policy was declared whereby ALCOA could not increase its monopoly by acquiring these plants after the war.

The problem, however, was to find another buyer to operate the government plants—especially since this buyer would not have aluminum patents. Louis Reynolds of the Reynolds metals company was willing to take over two large plants in Arkansas, but he could not operate without using ALCOA's lime-sinter-soda patents. And ALCOA was only willing to rent these patents at prohibitive royalties.

Finally, about ten days ago, Arthur Davis, head of ALCOA, was summoned to the office of Attorney General Tom Clark. With him came I. W. Wilson, also of ALCOA and Leon Hickman, their attorney. Sitting on the opposite side of the council table were Symington, Sam Husbands of the RFC, plus Wendell Berge, Ernest Meyers, and Irving Lipkowitz, all

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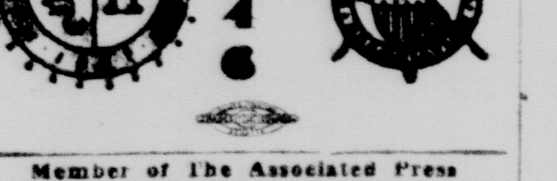
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What Become of That Flood of Merchandise?



of the anti-trust division. The session lasted two hours. ALCOA's Davis and Attorney Hickman did most of the talking. They proposed first that they would give their lime-sinter-soda process to ALCOA's competitors, provided the government would drop its anti-trust case. Assistant Attorney General Berge, however, said "No." Berge is a mild-mannered man, but just as tenacious as the late Senator George Norris, from whose state of Nebraska he comes.

Then the ALCOA executives proposed to barter their patents for the right to build new factories of their own. This is forbidden them under the court ruling. Again Berge said no.

Symington is just as mild-mannered as Berge, but can be just as tough. At one point he warned Davis:

"There's nothing to prevent us from going ahead and using your patents anyway."

"We'd sue you," replied the ALCOA head.

"So what," shot back Symington. "What are patents except the right to bring a suit?"

The meeting ended in a stalemate. Next day, ALCOA's executives appeared in Symington's office ready to grant Reynolds their patents on payment of a graduated royalty. Symington, however, showed them the door.

That night they returned with a complete surrender. As a result of smart negotiating by Symington and Berge, ALCOA's patents, for years an airtight monopoly, were turned over to the government for the use of its competitors.

Note—Symington's chief problem as assistant secretary of war will be his father-in-law. The latter, Republican representative Jim Wadsworth of New York, believes army brasshats can do no wrong. Some people are already wondering how much Republican father-in-law Wadsworth will dominate his Democratic son-in-law in the war department.

Taft Chases "Communism"

Senator Robert Taft of Ohio has just lost a one-man war he has been staging to control a faculty appointment to his old alma mater—Yale.

Taft has been moving heaven and earth to prevent Tom Emerson, counsel for the economic stabilization board, from becoming a professor of the Yale faculty, even going so far as to tip off radio commentator Fulton Lewis, who joined in the campaign. Basis of Taft's opposition was that Emerson was a New Dealer, a radical, and a lot of other horrible things—possibly even a Communist.

Taft even journeyed back to Yale to vote at the board of governors' meeting against Emerson's appointment. In the end he lost—by the decisive margin of 9 to 5. Such conservative and respectable gentlemen as Judge Thomas Swan of the U. S. Court of Appeals, and Thomas Thacher, former solicitor general under Hoover, voted against their old friend Taft. They couldn't see any red-complexion around Emerson at all.

Capital Chaff

Ed Prichard, the big Kentucky brain-truster, is being offered the job of counsel of the Democratic national committee. . . . He does not know whether to take it or run for congress for the seat now

occupied by Congressman Virgil Chapman. . . . The White House is talking about a steering committee consisting of Chairman Paul Porter, Bob Nathan and assistant postmaster Gail Sullivan to function between Democratic headquarters and the White House. . . . Capital society is speculating as to whether cabinet members will keep on going to the dinners of a certain Washington hostess whom Joe Palooka has been unmercifully ribbing.

Bob Hannegan will soon launch an all-out drive to get the president's legislation program passed on Capitol Hill. Hannegan's first target will be the minimum wage bill increasing minimum wages to 65 cents an hour. . . . President Truman has begun a major shakeup of the White House staff. The first to go was George Allen who becomes an RFC director. Next will be another Mississippian, the president's naval aid, Capt. James Vardaman, Jr., who will become a member of the Federal Reserve board. Judge Sam Rosenman resigns this Friday.

Files For Divorce Through Guardian

Mrs. Gloria Reid Rimel, a minor, filed suit for divorce from William Lee Rimel Tuesday through her natural guardian and next friend, Mrs. Blanche E. Reid, her mother, in the Pettis County Circuit Court. The couple was re-married March 4, 1945, after a previous divorce and separated October 13, 1945. Mrs. Rimel asks for restoration of her maiden name, Gloria Reid.

William F. Brown is the attorney for the plaintiff.

The Doctor Says

Health Means More Than School Record

By WILLIAM A. O'BRIEN, M. D.
Written for NEA Service

Control of communicable diseases at school is hampered by placing false emphasis on perfect or near-perfect attendance.

Awards should be made to those students who stay home when they are ill, as they protect the health of their classmates. Allotment of state funds to schools on the basis of the average number of pupils in daily attendance is a bad practice because it encourages high attendance at the risk of spreading illness.

A pupil with a communicable disease should not be in school. The school's chief problem in the control of some contagious diseases is that they are not discovered until the child comes to school; the best opportunity for control is in the home.

Teachers' Responsibility

School's chief responsibility is to encourage parents to use all available preventive measures, to keep sick children home and to send home children who have become sick at school. Schools should notify parents when communicable diseases have developed among a child's classmates.

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Schools Stay Open

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The practice of keeping at home children who were exposed to certain communicable diseases is being discontinued. These children are permitted to attend school until they show signs of illness, at which time they are excluded.

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High Schoolers Study Their Own B-25



Airminded students at the Fremont high school, Sunnyvale, Calif., will study aeronautics from a real army B-25. The school bought the \$150,000 bomber from Uncle Sam's surplus property for only \$200. Above, aviation instructor R. J. Will, in white coveralls, directs students in dismantling a wing.

Second Armored was 'Hell on Wheels'

By NEA Service

When the American Army began to roll into Berlin, 32 months after the initial landings in North Africa, the outfit that led the proud procession was the Second Armored (Hell on Wheels) Division.

The division, with a combat record second to none, had earned the distinction. It had started back in the dark days of the war, when the Hell on Wheels boys took Casablanca, and the subsequent trail of conquest led through Sicily, Belgium, Holland, France and Germany.

After contributing to the whirlwind campaign in Sicily, the Hell on Wheels outfit was shifted back to England to train for the invasion of France. In early June, 1944, the Hell on Wheels doughs charged into Normandy. Unleashed, the division's powerful machines hammered far and wide through the European countryside, striking into France, Germany, Holland and Belgium. On June 12, 1945, the whole outfit was awarded the Belgian Croix de Guerre—marking the first time Belgium had ever awarded that decoration to a foreign division.

After the Bulge battle, during which the Second spearheaded the attack on the north flank of the Nazi bulge, the Hell on Wheels outfit dashed from the Rhine to the Elbe in record time as a part of the Ninth Army, to which it had been transferred.

The division's wild dash toward Berlin was halted on orders. The Russians eventually got to the German capital first, but there isn't a dough in the Second Armored who won't swear that his outfit couldn't have beaten the Russians to it if they had been given the go-ahead.

Spectator At Fire Reports Billfold Stolen

Pick-pockets took advantage of the excitement during the fire Tuesday afternoon, according to L. H. Null of Windsor, Mo., and picked his billfold from his pocket while he was watching the fire at Third street and Ohio. The wallet contained money and checks of an undetermined amount.

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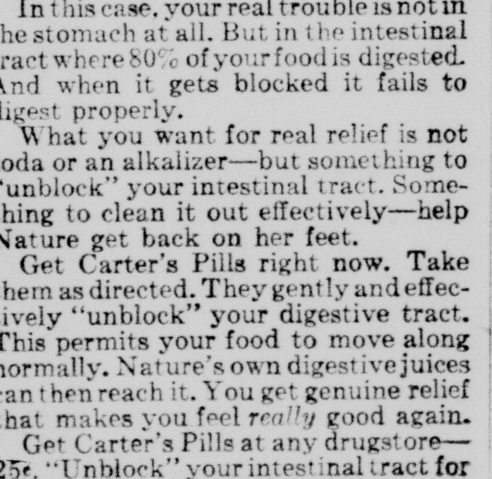
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Lafe C. Carson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Carson, has returned to Sedalia after receiving a military discharge at Ft. Leavenworth, Kas., January 18.

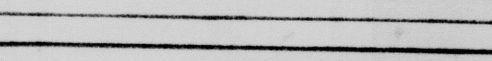
Carson, whose army rank was that of private first class, has been in service two and one-half years, 23 months of which were spent in New Guinea, the southern Philippines and Japan. He was awarded the Asiatic-Pacific theatre ribbon, Philippine liberation ribbon with one bronze star, Good Conduct medal, Purple Heart and Bronze Arrowhead.

Clinton H. Carson, another son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Carson,

First aid FOR head cold MISERIES

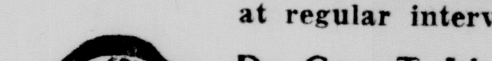
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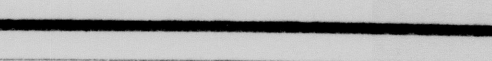
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who had served as a staff sergeant with the Eighth air force, received his discharge in November.

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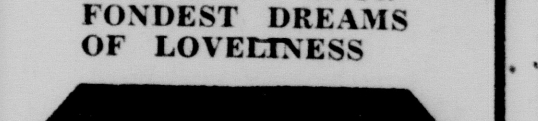
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After the flu is over and gone, the cough that follows may develop into chronic bronchitis if neglected. Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

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Almost Dismissed
General Custer, when a cadet at West Point, received 812 demerits. This was only 23 short of the number which meant dismissal from the academy. He committed 453 offenses.

All-Day Meeting of Osage Homemakers

An all-day meeting of Osage Homemakers club was held January 18 at the home of Mrs. Adolph Pinkepank of Hughesville. A contributive dinner was served at noon.

During the afternoon business session, the following 1946 officers were elected: president, Mrs. Lee Strader; vice president, Miss Elois Rumsey; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Adolph Pinkepank; reporter, Mrs. Ed Dirck.

Mrs. Clarence Palmer was a guest. The February 15 meeting will be at the home of Miss Elois Rumsey.

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Just Visiting



Governor and Mrs. Donnelly of Missouri pause briefly in Kansas City during a visit Tuesday. Shortly after posing for this photograph the governor began a busy round of conferences with civic and political leaders. Mrs. Donnelly, who preferably remains in the background, spent the day shopping and visiting friends. (Missouri State Mat Service.)

Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

The business men and property owners of Sedalia will meet tomorrow night at the Elks' hall to perfect a permanent organization of a commercial club and all who desire to become members and assist in the work are urged to be present. Permanent officers will be elected tomorrow night and a constitution and by-laws will be adopted.

While at work in South Sedalia yesterday, Jerry Green, an employee of the Queen City Telephone company, stepped into an excavation that proved to be an old well and went into water up to his waist. He was assisted out and said he was not injured but his legs were "deuced cold."

The charter for the recently organized plasterers' union has been received and there will be a meeting of the union tomorrow night for the transaction of such business as may come before the organization.

At a meeting of the Apache tribe of Red Men last night, Lon McMillian, Ed McCoy and W. L. Brummet were appointed a committee to cooperate with other orders that meet in the R. T. of J. building with a view to having the building equipped with fire escapes.

Owing to the mid-year examinations at the high school, the regular Wednesday morning program was omitted.

War vs. Peace
British lifeboats rescued 3816 lives in the first 21 months of the war, a greater total than during the preceding 10 years of peace.

Community News from

Tipton

Mrs. Roy Hofstetter entertained the Win Ones and a guest, Mrs. T. J. Farris, at her home Thursday afternoon. The business meeting was presided over by the retiring president, Mrs. E. G. Crawford, who was accorded a rising vote of thanks for her efficient leadership. The election of officers was held with the following results: President, Mrs. Jim Briscoe; vice president Mrs. J. C. Hardy; secretary Mrs. Roy Hofstetter; treasurer Mrs. Lloyd Carter. The treasurer's report estimated a balance of \$190. Mrs. S. H. Ferguson was leader of the study hour. Songs and a prayer by Mrs. J. I. Richtette, concluded the program. The social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

Edgar Smethers and Mary Fischer were Sedalia visitors on Monday.

Tech. Sgt. Harold Allen has returned home honorably discharged after 43 months in service with five months overseas service. He was in the quartermaster and ordnance work. He and his family will make their home in Tipton.

Mrs. Herman Dahl, postmaster of Tipton, was the guest Friday of her sister Mrs. I. W. Kraus of Jefferson City.

Mrs. Hattie Worley and son, Shelby Worley and daughter Mrs. Herman Dahl, will attend the 92nd birthday anniversary of Mrs. Worley's mother Mrs. Cinda Drake at Fortuna.

Irving Dick, who recently returned from the Pacific and has received his honorable discharge is at home with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dick.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wolf announce the birth of a four pound, seven ounce son, born on Monday morning at the hospital in Jefferson City. He has been named Jackie Ray.

Everett Pazer, senior editor of the Tipton Times, who has been to the California hospital for sev-

eral weeks is home again, improved in health.

Mrs. John Dueber has returned home from a month's visit in Santa Monica, Calif., with her sister Ann Leonard of the St. John's hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva White have gone to Hot Springs, Ark., for an extended stay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thomas left Monday for Florida to spend a three weeks' vacation.

Fern Carpenter, who has been at home with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carpenter for five weeks has returned to San Francisco, Calif.

Community News from

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The Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Brandon of Buffalo were dinner guests recently of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Myers and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Moore and daughter Ellen were supper guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Raines of Clinton.

Louis Smart, who has been serving in the European theater of operations, has arrived home after receiving his military discharge.

Mrs. William Anton and son, Michael of Nashville, Tenn., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Anton.

Staff Sgt. John Knoop of Sheppard Field, Tex., is visiting here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Nell Donnell and children of Windsor visited Sunday in the home of her brother, Robert Smart and Mrs. Smart.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Argenbright were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Tinker.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson of Sedalia visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Renfrow.

Mrs. Ed Crenshaw, Mrs. Edwin Wehrman and Mrs. Oliver Renfrow made a business trip to Versailles recently.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Davis of

Horace Mann PTA Meeting

The Horace Mann P. T. A. met Friday night at 8:00 o'clock at the school. Dads night was observed with a large number of parents, teachers, and friends attending. The meeting was opened by group singing led by Mrs. Henry Salver and accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Watts. Rev. J. W. Watts led the devotional service after which Mrs. F. J. Odell, president, presided over a short business session, at which it was voted to purchase a couch for the school office.

The following playlets and fairy tales were presented by pupils of grade four under the direction of their teacher, Miss Helen Chamberlin: Cinderella, Hansel and Gretel, Jack and the Bean stalk, Heidi, Tom Sawyer, and Clothing for Courage.

A three act comedy entitled, "Henry's Mail Order Wife," was presented by fathers of the P. T. A. The members of the cast were: Henry, J. H. Brook; Abe, J. W. Sattorious; Jim, C. E. England; Becky, F. T. Rucker; Mrs. Tucker,

Windsor were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Friedley.

Fred Miesner, who has been visiting his mother Mrs. Anna Miesner and other relatives has left for his home in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Myers and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Moore had as dinner guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Will Cooper of Windsor and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Myers of Kansas City.

R. A. Smith; Minister, Ed Mathews.

Music was furnished between plays by Mrs. Vivagene Pack, who played several piano selections. Refreshments were served by mothers of the pupils of the third and fifth grade rooms.

Arrives In States

Raymond W. Pinkepank, MoMM 1.c., whose mother, Mrs. Walter Pinkepank, and sister, Miss Virginia Pinkepank, reside at 1902 East Broadway, arrived in the States Friday at San Francisco, according to a telephone call received by his mother Sunday night. He expects to be at home with a naval discharge within two weeks.

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Some fish have a decided sense of taste, and Portuguese fishermen use melon to attract certain fish which have a sweet tooth.

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Choice Shelled Pecans
12-oz. cello 98¢
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Phillips "66" Regular GASOLINE gal. 14¢	10c Loaves Taystee BREAD 3 for 25¢
KEROSENE gal. 11¢	25 Lbs. Nise and White FLOUR \$1.08
7½-oz. Can Lee OYSTERS 58¢	25 Lbs. Expansion FLOUR \$1.10
Haase's White Meat TUNA 53¢	2-lb. 8-oz. pkg. Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour 25¢
20-oz Glass Jack Sprat MINCE MEAT 35¢	3-Lb Pkg Lee Pancake Flour 21¢
Tall Can Tomato Sauce SARDINES 2 for 29¢	20-oz. Pkg. Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour 17¢
10½-oz. Can Jackson's Vegetable Soup 2 for 19¢	Swansdown Cake FLOUR 28¢
No 2 Can Lee Mustard Greens 2 for 27¢	1-Lb. Glass Chase and Sanborn COFFEE 31¢
No 2 Cans Sweet Cream Corn 2 for 25¢	1-Lb. Glass Maxwell House COFFEE 34¢
No 2 Can TOMATOES 2 for 25¢	10c Can Clabber Girl Baking Powder 8¢
No 1 Porto Rican Sweet Potatoes 2 lbs 19¢	1-Lb. Glass Del Monte COFFEE 32¢
10 Lbs Red Triumph POTATOES 43¢	Large Box Quaker OATS 29¢
Fresh TURNIPS 3 lbs 19¢	Cream of Wheat 23¢
Fresh PARSNIPS 3 lbs 19¢	1-Lb. Cello Pkg. Small LIMA BEANS 17¢
Fresh CARROTS bunch 9¢	11c Box Premium Flake CRACKERS 9¢
100 Lbs BRAN \$2.25	Betty Crocker Vegetable NOODLE SOUP 2 for 19¢
100 Lbs CHOP CORN \$2.85	Tall Cans Dariercraft MILK 1 for 27¢
Sunnyland Laying Mash 100 lbs. \$3.39	Tall Cans Pet MILK 3 for 29¢
	Tall Cans Carnation MILK 4 for 41¢

Temple Stephens Co.

105 West Main Street
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KARO SYRUP Blue label 1½-lb. jar 14¢
VAN CAMPS BEANS in tomato sauce 3—12-oz. cans 25¢

LUNCHEON MEAT
Armour's Spiced Per Lb. 39¢

ARMOUR'S TREET
12-oz. Can 32¢

FRUIT COCKTAIL
No. 2½ Can 32¢

VEGETABLE BEEF SOUP
Phillips Delicious Can 27¢

FRESH BULK SAUER KR' UT (bring container) 4 lbs. 29¢
T. S. HAM BRAND BAKING POWDER 2-lb. bag 15¢
FRESH ROASTED PEANUTS Quart 19¢

T. S. SODA
3—1-lb. Boxes 15¢

T. S. LYE
2 Cans For 15¢

STONE JARS
3 - 4 - 5 Gallon size 19¢

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2 Lbs. For 25¢

GOLDEN CORN
Whole Kernel—Upperdeck Brand No. 2 Can—2 for 29¢

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Greens No. 2 Can—2 for 19¢

MARASCHINO CHERRIES
8-oz. Bottle 21¢

CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP
Phillips Delicious 2 Cans for 29¢

FLOUR
T. S. Best Brand (plain bags) 50-Lb. Sack \$1.98

SUGAR
Pure Granulated 10 Lbs. 67¢

T. S. MATCHES
6 Boxes For 25¢

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Large Size 2 heads 25¢

Grapefruit
8 for 25¢

ORANGES
Doz. 33¢

ALL BREAD
3 loaves 25¢

LONGHORN CHEESE
Lb. 33¢

FRANKS, NO. 1 TYPE
Lb. 29¢

PURE LARK
Lb. 17¢

PORK CHOPS
Small 29¢

Smoked Jowl
Lb. 22¢

5 More Coffee
3 lbs. 67¢

FRESH COUNTRY EGGS
Doz. 37¢

We Have Plenty of Beef
Grade A and AA

SPECIALS FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY

BREAD 10c LOAVES 3 loaves 25¢

ORANGES
344 Size Doz. 21¢

ORANGES
232 & 200 Size Doz. 33¢

GRAPEFRUIT
10 for 29¢

FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES
NORTHERN GROWN COBBLER Potatoes, 100-lb. bag packed \$3.19

FRESH EGGS
FRESH FROM THE COUNTRY doz. 37¢

CLEANING VALUES!
16-oz. PACKAGE Spic and Span, pkg. 19¢

RED BAG COFFEE
1-lb. bag 21¢

OLD JUDGE COFFEE
1-lb. jar 32¢

KAFFEE HAG
1-lb. jar 39¢

SANKA
1-lb. jar 39¢

EGG NOODLES
2 16-oz. cello packages 29¢

ELBO MACARONI
3 lbs. 29¢

CUT SPAGHETTI
3 lbs. 29¢

AMER. BEAUTY SPAGHETTI
3 7-oz. boxes 29¢

KRAFT DINNER
3 boxes 29¢

QUAKER CORN MEAL
3 24-oz. boxes 29¢

WHITE CORN MEAL
10-lb. Bag 39¢

COCOA MALT
1-lb. Can 39¢

INSTANT POSTUM
4-oz. Can 23¢

INSTANT POSTUM
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OVALTINE
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Chili Con Carne with beans, can 21¢

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Chili Con Carne WITHOUT BEANS 23¢

16-oz. CAN CUDAPUS
Corned Beef Hash, can 23¢

16-oz. JAR WILSON'S
Tamales in sauce, jar 25¢

16-oz. CAN WILSON'S
Vienna Sausage, 2 cans 25¢

16-oz. CAN WILSON'S
Potted Meats, 5 cans 29¢

16-oz. CAN
Mor, can 33¢

16-oz. CAN
Luncheon Loaf, lb. 39¢

16-oz. PACKAGE MEADOW GOLD
Cottage Cheese, pkg. 14¢

FRESH DAILY BULK
Cottage Cheese, lb. 15¢

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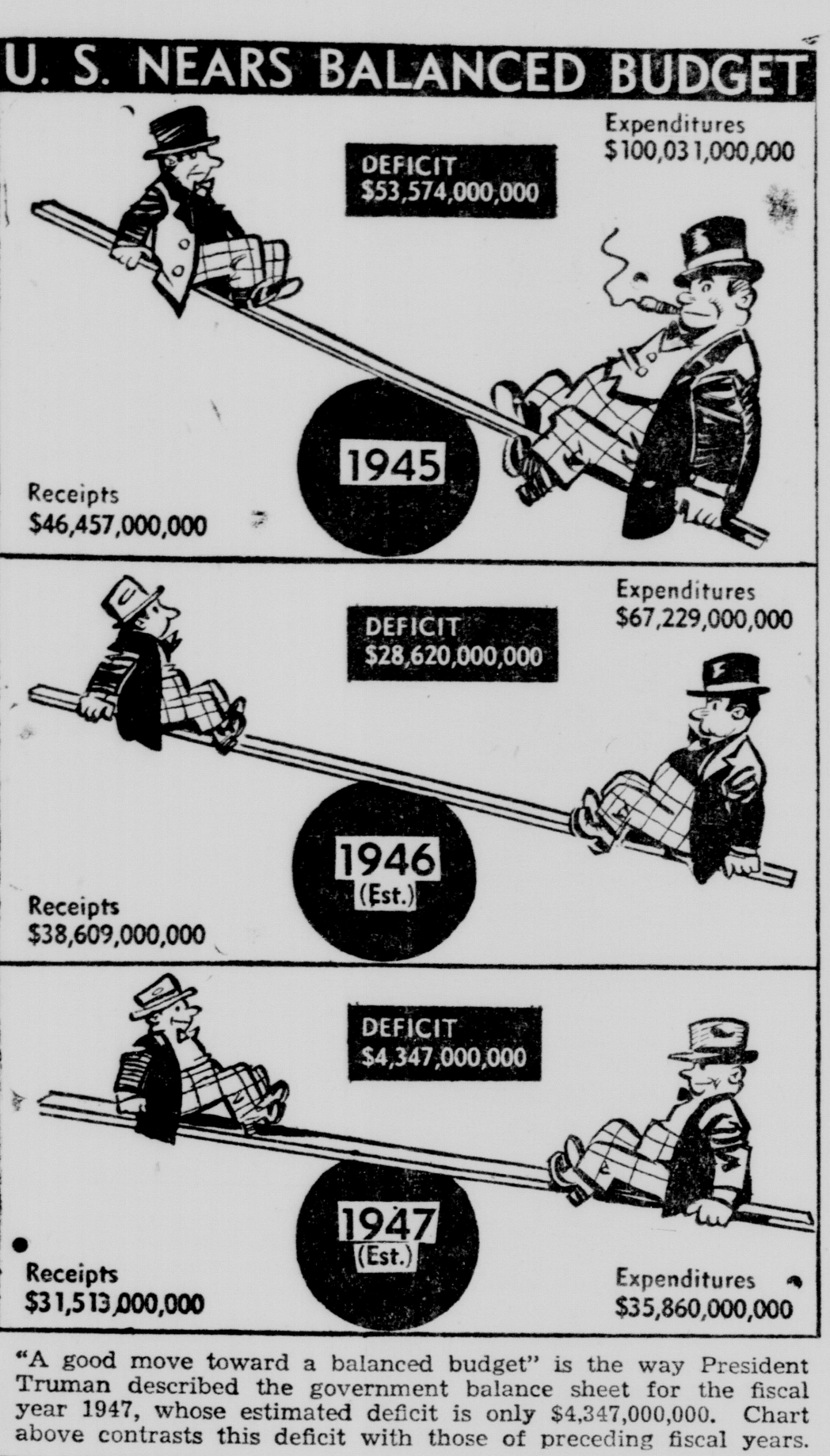
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Community News from
Green Ridge
Mrs. Verna Palmer
Masonic Lodge No. 425 of Green Ridge installed the following officers for the coming year: R. Boyd Calverd, worshipful master; Carl L. Ragar, senior warden; Roy Ragar, junior warden; Harold Johnson, junior deacon; William Curtis, tiler; Wilford Acker, chaplain; Olin Ragar and Charles H. Ward, senior and junior stewards; George T. Murphy, secretary; A. N. Baker, treasurer. The retiring worshipful master, Keith Davis, acted as installing officer, and L. B. Beach was marshal.
Thomas Hampton, who recently received his discharge from military service at Jefferson Barracks, accompanied by his wife, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hampton, and his sister, Virginia. While in St. Louis, he visited his sister, Mrs. Willis Herr, Mr. Herr and family.
The H. H. H. class of the Presbyterian Sunday school was the host class to members of the Women's Aid Society at the home of Mrs. Eri Anderson recently when it met in all-day session. A contributive dinner was served at noon. Mrs. Lewis Wadleigh presided over the business session and Miss Glenda McCampbell led the devotional service. The day was spent in quilting.
Mrs. T. J. Close has gone to Millbrook, N. Y., for a visit of two weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowman.
True Ulmer, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. True Ulmer, has received his military discharge and with his wife and daughter has been visiting his parents. Ulmer spent two years in the Pacific theater of operations with the army air corps.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Trone were hosts at a family dinner at their home Sunday, January 13, which was attended by the following relatives: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Baslee, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mackey, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Neffendorf and son, Jim Upton and daughter, Irene, Mrs. Elizabeth Durrill and Mrs. Maye Cummins. Featured on the menu was English plum pudding made by the recipe of Mrs. Trone's mother. With her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Upton, Mrs. Thone came to the United States from England at the age of nine years.
Sgt. John Knop of Sheppard Field, Tex., recently spent a short furlough visiting Green Ridge relatives.

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Community News from
Clarksburg
Mrs. Maude Albion
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wingate of Camden drove to Clarksburg to take his sister, Mrs. Nola Martin, and nephew, Leonard Martin, to their home for a visit, returning with them over the week-end.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells have sold their stock of dry goods and groceries to Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Sappington, who took charge of the store Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Sappington recently returned to Clarksburg after several years' employment in Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Wells disposed of the store due to Mr. Wells' poor health.
The January meeting of the Baptist W. M. U. was held at the church with 14 members attending. Mrs. Nellie Stinson was leader of the meeting and Mrs. Mae Bailey had charge of the Bible study.
Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Millis and daughters, Donzella and Louella, have moved from the farm of Dewess Foster, west of Syracuse, to the farm of Aetua Pulley, northeast of Tipton.
Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Shea have begun work in the Tipton REA office. Mrs. Shea, the former Irene Wingate, has resumed her former work in the office and Mr. Shea is a limeman.
Frances Suggs, who recently underwent an appendectomy at Latham sanitarium, is improving nicely.
Warren Leonard of St. Louis recently visited his mother, Mrs. Maude Leonard, and sisters, and attended to business matters in Clarksburg, Mo.
Jeff Battles recently attended a bankers' meeting at Columbia.
Misses Helen and Lola Arnold of Kansas City spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Arnold and family.
John Anderson of Kansas City spent the week-end with relatives here. He is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Jerni Gump.
Mrs. Jennie Toler has been spending several days with her sister, Mrs. John Toler, at Versailles, where her husband is very ill.
Ercel Robertson has arrived home with a military discharge after service on the island of Owinawa.
Mr. and Mrs. Lucy Bailey had a Sunday dinner guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chase, of St. Louis, another daughter, Miss Forest Helen Bailey of Jefferson City and Lucy Bailey's mother, Mrs. Mae Bailey, of Clarksburg.
Mrs. Clara Battles and son, John, were visitors and dinner guests Saturday of her sister, Mrs. Kate Smith, in Boonville.
Mr. and Mrs. Doug Winebrenner and family were Sunday dinner guests of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Baker and family.
Mr. and Mrs. James Purnell are the parents of a daughter, Shirley

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Navy Further Reduces Points
WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—(P)—The navy announced Tuesday night further cuts in point scores for discharge.
By April 2, reported Vice Admiral Louis E. Denfeld, chief of naval personnel, the navy's demobilization program will be two-thirds completed. It now is scheduled to pass the half-way mark of 1,500,000 discharges by Feb. 1.
The critical score for enlisted men, last set at 32 points for release after March 2, is reduced to 31 points effective March 15 and 30 points effective April 2, the navy statement said.
For male commissioned and warrant officers, the March 2 score of 39 is dropped to 38 after March 15 and 37 after April 2.
For women officers, the March 2 requirement of 27 points will continue in effect until April 2, when it will drop to 26.
For enlisted women, the March 2 requirement of 21 points will continue in effect until April 2, when it will drop to 20.
For male doctors, the March 2 score of 39 is reduced to 48 after March 15 and 40 after April 2.
Reductions also were made in point requirements for varied classes of personnel "whose eligibility for demobilization" Admiral Denfeld said, "has demanded a slightly higher score because of their essential duties."
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ORDER OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE
Circuit Court For the County of Pettis State of Missouri
Producers Produce Company of Sedalia, Plaintiff,
vs.
The unknown consorts, heirs, devisees, donees, immediate, remote, voluntary or involuntary grantees, successors and assigns of the following deceased persons, to-wit: C. B. Wells, John W. S. Wells, James W. Warren, Ed. Geyhart, John C. Porter, R. R. Powell, trustees for the Pacific Railroad, Ed. Gayhart, A. J. Read, R. C. Sneed, Wm. E. Walton, George M. Diven, Frederick L. Billon, trustee for the Pacific Railroad, L. D. Morse, George W. Embree and John M. Woodridge, Defendants.
Order for Publication of Notice
On this 8th day of January, 1946 it appearing from the verified application of plaintiff for an order allowing service by publication that defendants, the unknown consorts, heirs, devisees, donees, immediate, remote, voluntary or involuntary grantees, successors and assigns of C. B. Wells, John W. S. Wells, James W. Warren, Ed. Geyhart, John C. Porter, R. R. Powell, trustees for the Pacific Railroad, Ed. Gayhart, A. J. Read, R. C. Sneed, Wm. E. Walton, George M. Diven, Frederick L. Billon, trustee for the Pacific Railroad, L. D. Morse, George W. Embree and John M. Woodridge, all of whom are deceased, cannot be personally served within this state, it is ordered that the application of plaintiff be granted and that service by publication upon said defendants be had as provided by law and that said defendants be and are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against said defendants in the Circuit Court for the County of Pettis, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to quiet title to plaintiff's real estate and which affects the following described property:
All of Lots numbered One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8), Nine (9), Ten (10), and Eleven (11) in Block Two (2) of the original plat of the town of Sedalia, Missouri, and that said defendants be and are hereby further notified that the name and address of the attorney for plaintiff is A. D. Sappington, 201 South Seventh Street, Columbia, Missouri, and that said defendants are required to appear and defend this action within forty-five (45) days after the 9th day of January, 1946, and in case of failure so to do judgment by default will be rendered against said defendants.
And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in The Sedalia Democrat, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Pettis and State of Missouri.
A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and the seal of the circuit court this 8th day of January, 1946.
BRYAN HOWE, Circuit Clerk.
By MILDRED SUTHERLIN, Deputy Clerk.
(Seal)

ANNOUNCEMENT
Donald S. Lamm and Lawrence Barnett, comprising the firm of Lamm and Barnett, announce that Roy J. Schick, recently discharged from the armed forces of the United States, is now associated with them in the general practice of law at 309 South Ohio St., Sedalia, Missouri.

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ALLEY OOP
I SAY, CAPTAIN, I JUST SHOT THE SUN—AND YOU KNOW WHAT? WE'RE PRACTICALLY ON A SPOT—WE'VE PICKED YOU UP OUT OF THE SEA!
WE ARE HERE? WELL, DON'T BE SURPRISED IF SOMETHING FUNNY HAPPENS.
VIC FLINT
FEEL BETTER, MR. FLINT? THAT WAS QUITE A BRUISE ON YOUR JAW.
YEAH. I RAN INTO A DOOR.
MAYBE I SHOULD'VE ASKED HOW THE OTHER FELLOW CAME OUT, HUH?
I'M GLAD YOU DIDN'T, GEORGE. THE OTHER FELLOW CAME OUT ALL RIGHT.
I didn't mind kidding about it. I've been slapped before. But this had me puzzled.

WELCOME HOME, BOY
BY V. T. HAMLIN
HOORAY! WE'VE DONE IT! ALLEY OOP!
I wondered if somebody had learned I was working on the Jerce murder and was trying to scare me off. I dropped into Tony's for a flower.
HOW ABOUT A FRESH CARNATION, TONY? THIS ONE GOT MESSED UP.
SURE, MR. FLINT. BY THE WAY, THIS MORNING WHEN YOU LEAVE MY SHOP A STRANGER CAME IN AND ASK YOUR NAME. HE WAS BIG—VERY BIG.

Photographs — Snyder's, 320 S. Ohio.
The Sedalia (Mo.) Democrat
Wednesday Evening, January 23, 1946
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103 Acres, 7 miles out, new 6 room house, hardwood floors, new barn, about one-half of land in bottom, balance pasture, some timber \$9,500.
100 Acres, 8 miles out, 8 room modern house, one-half mile to school, one mile to Catholic church, mail route, telephone, school bus \$8,000.
6 Acres in Otterville, 8 room house \$2,500.
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He Can't Resist A Diamond Necklace... or a Platinum Blonde!

Eddie just can't help stealing everything in sight—including a gangster's moll—in this laugh-loaded story of love and loony lozenge!

"HOLD THAT BLONDE!"

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"SHAPE AHOY!"
"GOLDEN HUNCH"
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"GREAT LAKES" Travelogue

FEATURE
Mat. 8:10—Eve. 7:50-9:55
Complete Shows 2:30-7-9
Adults 45c—Children 14c

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AND
THURSDAY**

A WOMAN
IS BEAUTIFUL
ONLY WHEN
SHE IS LOVED!

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BETTE DAVIS
GREAT ONLY AS SHE CAN BE, IN
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He thought he was tough... 'Til he met the gal
who could make him a "softie."
**A GUY COULD
CHANGE**
Shown
7:00
10:10
—Starring—
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ADULTS—35c • CHILDREN—14c

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Social Events

Miss Dorothy Dean, a student at Maryville college, St. Louis, will return to Sedalia this week end, and will remain over Tuesday night, to attend the informal reception honoring her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Dean, which will be at the Country club from 8 o'clock until 10 o'clock Tuesday night, January 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dean are entertaining on this occasion to honor Mr. Dean's parents on their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Bohon, route 2, entertained with a dinner Sunday in honor of their son, Keith Bohon, recently discharged from army service and their son-in-law Laurence Dotson, who received his naval discharge January 15.

Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bohon, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Dotson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dittmer, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dotson, David Dotson, and Misses Anna Lee Dotson, Mildred Haney and Maebelle Bohon.

Mrs. Lloyd Monsees, Mrs. Arnie Siegel and Mrs. Carl Dittmer of Smithton recently gave a shower at the home of Mrs. Monsees in honor of Miss Dorothy June Hampp, who is soon to become the bride of John Duckworth of Indianapolis, Neb.

Refreshments were served the following: Miss Dorothy June Hampp and mother, Mrs. Homer Hampp, Mrs. Gertrude Wagner, Mrs. David Prewitt, Mrs. O. L. Winstead, Mrs. Claude Page and son, Gene, Mrs. Ed Schlobohm, Mrs. Martha Geischen, Mrs. Elmer Bultemeier and son, Charles, Mrs. George Teter and daughter Glenda, Mrs. Philip Monsees, Mrs. Floyd Schlusing and daughter, Phyllis, Mrs. George Meyer and daughter Betty Jean, Mrs. Melvin Hampp and son Billy, Mrs. Ralph Lewis and daughter Leah Kathryn, Mrs. John Hansen, Miss Opal Mahnken, Miss Viola Rages, Mrs. Stanley Rages, Misses Ona and Lovetta Rages.

Mrs. Mamie Carter and daughter Wanda, Miss Martha Meyer, Miss Anna Schroeder, Mrs. Charlie Schroeder, Mrs. Chris Brauer, Misses Nevelle and Helen Page, Mrs. Frank Page, Mrs. Claude Muse, Mrs. Lee Kanenbley, Miss Bernice Hoehns, Mrs. August Dittmer and Mrs. Harry Hampp.

Miss Elizabeth West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. West, 403 East Sixth street, and Claude Cluxton of Sedalia, formerly of Joplin, were married at 7:30 o'clock Friday night in Knob Noster by the Rev. Robert E. Burgess at his home.

The bride is a graduate of the Ottaville high school. Mr. Cluxton recently was discharged from the army after five years of service. The couple is residing temporarily at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keele and sons, Larry Charles and Riley David, of 1003 East Thirteenth street, entertained with a dinner in honor of Mr. Keele's brother, Pfc. Floyd Keele of the Eighty-second Airborne Glider Division, who is home on a forty-five day furlough, after serving eleven

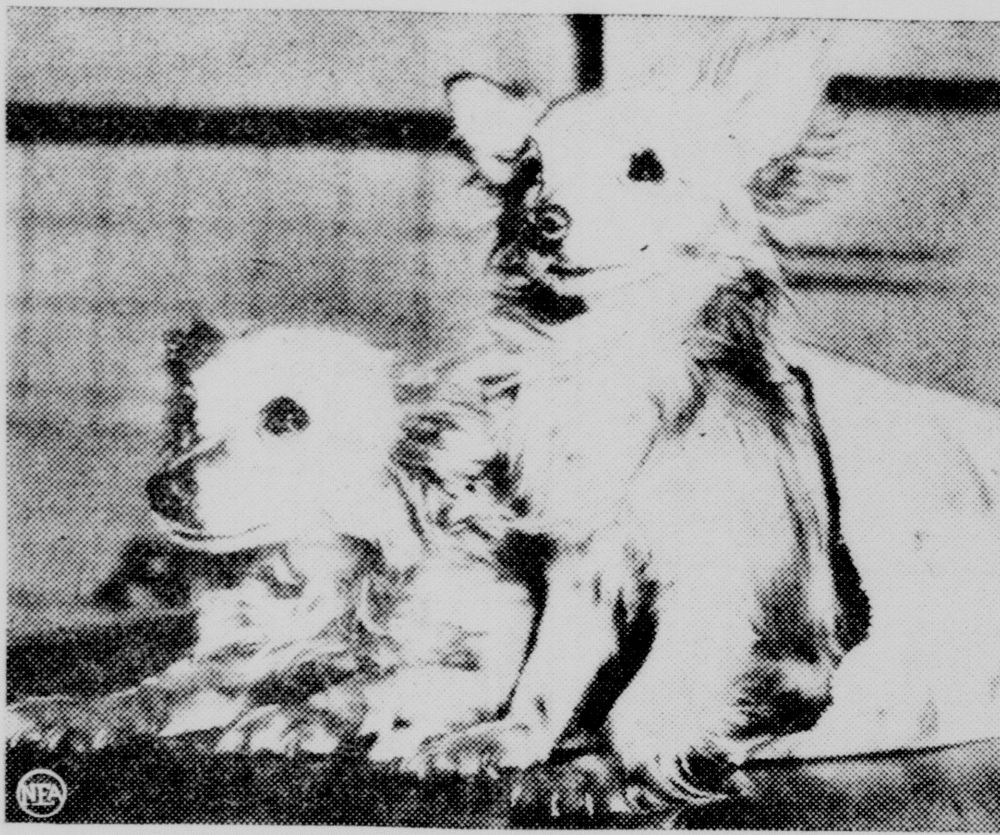
"Me Too"

LIVING SPACE
for
EX-SERVICE
WOMEN

ME TOO!

Sixteen-month-old Terry Delaney evidently believes "mother knows best." She's pictured with her mother, Mrs. Austin Delaney, on picket line in Vancouver, B. C. Mrs. Delaney was among scores of former Canadian servicemen and women who protested tearing down of old Vancouver Hotel until town's acute housing shortage is eased.

Poor Pomeranians



Peeking out of a paper sack at a cold, cruel world, these Pomeranian pups look longingly for someone who will provide a home. The abandoned puppies, about a year old, found a safe haven in the Chicago Animal Shelter, where they will receive tender care until some animal lover puts in a bid for them.

months overseas in England, France, Belgium and Germany. Those attending the dinner were Pfc. Keele, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Keele, his brother, Jackie, and Miss Laverne Hillman.

Osage chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, at the Bothwell hotel. Miss Jessie Blair will review the book, "Home to India."

Hostesses will be: Miss Lura McCluney, Mrs. William Terrill, Mrs. George E. Dugan, Mrs. D. T. Abell, Mrs. W. T. Bishop, Mrs. W. E. Hurlbut.

Most Popular Shrub
The lilac was the most popular flowering shrub in America for 200 years, a reign which ended with the aftermath of World War I.

Strange Parents
On Guadalcanal, eggs of the bush fowl hatch out in a mound of fermented leaves and sand, raked over them by the mother, and the young never know their parents.

Healthy Appetites
Sea elephants eat as much as 500 pounds of fish every day. These creatures reach a length of 20 feet. In zoos, they are fed every two hours.

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Church News

The Golden Rule Sunday school class of the First Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Clara Schien, 219 West Seventh street, at 2:30 p. m. Thursday.

The Mary-Martha circle of the Immanuel Evangelical and Reformed church guild will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Roy Strain, 1427 South Carr avenue. Mrs. R. R. Ramlow will be the assisting hostess.

The meeting of the new Christian Service circle of the First Christian church, which was scheduled to meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ellen Shirley, 216 West Broadway, has been postponed, due to illness, until the following Thursday, January 31, at the same time and place.

Traffic Cases
Cecil Heavener, 601 South Missouri avenue, pleaded guilty this morning to a charge of parking his car too near a fire plug at Second street and Osage avenue. He was fined two dollars by Magistrate C. W. Bente.

W. R. Toland, Falls City, Neb., charged with making a left turn at Second street and Ohio avenue, forfeited a \$2 bond.

Bound Over
Cecil Lange, R.F.D. 2, charged with driving an automobile while intoxicated, appeared before Magistrate C. W. Bente, sitting as ex-officio justice of the peace, and waived his preliminary hearings. He was bound over to the action of the criminal court.

Java Export
Dragon's blood, a red-colored resin derived from the root of a rattan palm and widely used to color varnishes and lacquers, is one of the leading exports of Java in normal times.

Valuable Scrap
More than 2,000,000 tons of top grade, heavy iron and steel scrap in the form of abandoned street car lines, unused mines, and bridges were salvaged in 1942.

REDUCE COLD'S Nasal Misery

At first sneeze, 2 drops in each nostril. Ease colds' watery misery. Caution: use only as directed. Get **PENETRO NOSE DROPS**

Discharged From Marines

Francis A. Diefenbach, who was discharged recently from the U. S. Marine Corps, at Camp LeJeune, N. C., after four years and one month of service, has joined his wife here at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lawrence Laupheimer, 305 West Fourth street.

Diefenbach, who served in the Pacific for 32 months, was awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action, two presidential unit citations and was presented a letter of recommendation from Admiral Spruance. Upon his return from overseas duty last year he was stationed at Camp LeJeune until his enlistment was completed.

Mrs. Diefenbach is the former Miss Jane Laupheimer. Her brother, Lawrence Laupheimer, of Lawrence, Long Island, N. Y., will arrive Thursday for a visit of several days with his mother and Mr. and Mrs. Diefenbach.

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